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DALY CITY GOLFER WINS CONTEST AT HARDING COURSE

Mel Kennedy son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kennedy, of 6893 Mission street, is being congratulated upon his display of superb golf last Sunday, when he won the Harding Park Golf Club championship, coming into the title by taking the 36-hole final from Trev Smith, 4 and 3.

Kennedy's victory is unique in that he is the first golfer developed on the Harding course to win the championship of that club. Ed Lester, former Harding champion, was eliminated by Kennedy in the second round. Among those who bowed to Kennedy in his drive toward his first tile was Ray Huntley, another former titleist.

After being 5 up at the nineteenth hole, Kennedy lost ground when Smith made a spectacular run by taking five straight holes and evening the match. Kennedy then halved the twenty-fifth and made the remaining holes in one under par, while Smith was not able to win any of them.

Melvin Kennedy, a former caddy, was born at the Mission street home twenty-two years ago. After graduating from the Jefferson grammar school in Colma, he attended Gallileo high school in San Francisco, where he was active in baseball and football, also carrying off the honor of being the champion rifle shot of the school when a member of the R. O. T. C. Besides being an athlete, young Kennedy is a member of Prof. L. A. De Graca School of String Instruments, playing the banjo.

On Thursday evening Kennedy was presented with a beautiful trophy at a banquet held at the Whitcomb Hotel in San Francisco.

JEFFERSON STARS WIN AT SAN BRUNO

The Jefferson All Stars hit the ball to all corners of the San Bruno diamond last Sunday to defeat the Western Meat Co. nine by a score of 15 to 4.

Tom Preston and Jack Gaddy divided the pitching burden for the All Stars. Their twirling wasn't sensational but it was good enough, considering that this was the first game of the season. Between them they allowed twelve hits, two walks, and struck out four batters.

"Mo" Plansky led the winners' batting attack with a triple, two doubles and a single out of five official times at bat. Gaddy a reputed heavy hitter, displayed his ability by clouting four singles in six trips to the plate. The team as a whole collected twenty safeties, not less than one in every inning.

The All Star's fielding average for the day was perfect Take a glance at the personnel of the infield lineup and you will see the names of a high class quartet.

F. Strand, catcher, dismissed all doubt about having any superior in these parts. His receiving was one of the features of the day. Fred looked especially good in retiring men who tried to steal second base.

The lineups follows:

Western Meat Co.

Player	AB.	R.	H.
Venturi, 2b	3	1	0
Bonolanza, ss	4	2	2
B. Strand, p-3b	4	1	1
Reardon, 3b-c	3	0	2
Murphy, lf	4	0	2
Fisher, c-1b	3	0	2
Mozetti, cf	4	0	1
Guernsy, rf	3	0	1
Chardon, rf	1	0	1
Hawley, p-3b	4	0	0
Chinelli, ss	1	0	2
Total	34	4	14

Jefferson All Stars

Player	AB.	R.	H.
Plansky, lf	5	5	4
Aiello, 2b	5	0	3
Drucker, ss	6	2	3
Gaddy, rf-p	6	2	4
Kennedy, cf-3b	4	0	0
Doyle, 3b-cf	5	2	2
R. Huntley, 1b	6	1	2
F. Strand, c	4	2	1
T. Preston, p	3	1	1
Lagomarsino, rf	1	0	0
Total	45	15	20

K. OF C. TO SPONSOR THEATRE PARTY

Daly City Council No. 72, K. of C., will sponsor a theatre party supreme on Wednesday evening, January 8, 1930. Professional vaudeville stars, Dell's accordion orchestra band and talkies that sound better are a few of the headliners.

Tickets are now being sold by the members, and you are urged to get them early, if you want to see a great show. W. L. M.

WILL COMPLETE BAYSHORE ROAD

Peninsula and San Francisco officials were given assurance last Tuesday by the State Highway Commission that within two weeks bids will be sought for construction of the Bayshore highway unit between San Mateo and Redwood City.

By that time, Commissioner Fred S. Moody said the dispute over the Southern Pacific Railway "orphan spur" across the highway will have been settled by the State Railroad Commission.

Moody told the delegation at a meeting on Tuesday that the spur controversy was the only thing that was holding up construction of the highway.

"We have the money," he said. "The plans have been drawn for months, the specifications are at hand and we shall call for bids as soon as the Railroad Commission hands down its decision, regardless of whether the dispute is settled in our favor or not.

The meeting, called by the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce under the impression that the state had not included extension of the Bayshore highway in its winter program, changed from open indignation to friendship when Moody disclosed that the budget included a $900,000 appropriation for extension of the road to Redwood City, and an additional $674,000 to take it into Palo Alto.

"The stretch into Palo Alto will be undertaken as soon as the Redwood City unit is completed," Moody said. "When the entire highway will be completed, I do not know. Our engineer estimates the cost between Palo Alto and San Jose at $4,000,000. Whether we will be able to include that much in our budget for the two years after July 1, 1931, I can not say. But we will do our best."

When Moody was asked by a San Jose delegate if he could definitely promise that some of the work would be started in 1931 he replied that he could.

FIRE COMMISSIONERS IN MONTHLY SESSION

The regular monthly meeting of the Fire Commissioners was held last Monday evening at the City Hall.

C. Downall, of Mission street, appeared before the board in regards to installing chimney on hackets, the board ruling that to hang chimneys on hackets was against the building laws, and they would be opposed to the granting of any permits for same.

A. Natusch, of Fire Company No. 1, made application for an exempt certificate, and his request was granted.

The new fire house for Company No. 1, and the meeting hall for the Veteran Firemen, on Santa Barbara avenue and Hillcrest Drive, was to have been dedicated Saturday evening, December 7, but on account of a slight delay, the dedication has been postponed to the following Saturday evening.

The new home for Station No. 1 and the Veteran Firemen is unique in a way. The building is so constructed that with a few slight changes it can be made into an up to date home.

The garage and basement will be used for the apparatus and meeting place of Company No. 1, while the up-stairs will be the Veteran Firemen's home.

To commemorate this great improvement, a committee of the Veterans and firemen of Company No. 1 are hard at work making preparations for this important event, which will take place Saturday evening, December 14.

TWO STOLEN AUTOS FOUND BY OFFICERS

A Chevrolet touring car, owned by A. R. Ditty, of 631 San Diego avenue, was stolen, last Sunday evening, from in front of the Daly City Theatre, but was found by the local police on Monday morning, where it had been abandoned on San Jose avenue, several blocks from the place its owner had left it.

A Chevrolet touring car owned by H. C. Rudolph, of 622 Hanover street, was also taken from its parking place near the State Theatre last Sunday evening, and was found Monday morning by Chief Jack Doyle on the road in the Daly City hills back of Crocker Terrace.

Death Claims William E. Noble

William E. Noble, of San Jose avenue, passed away last Tuesday in San Francisco, after a long illness. Mr. Noble was the beloved husband of Minnie E. Noble, son of Edward and the late Martha Noble, and brother of Mrs. Mary Welsh, Martha E. Sirr, Margaret, Thomas, Henry Robert and John Noble. He was a native of Ireland. Funeral services will be held this Friday afternoon in San Francisco.

Orders Are Now Being Taken

-N I'D LIKE AN AIRPLANE THAT FLIES ALSO AN ELECTRIC TRAIN AND TRACKS 'N I COULD USE A NEW SLED PAINTED RED THAT'S ABOUT ALL I CAN THINK OF JUST NOW
ORDERS!
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WILL DEDICATE CHURCH, CHIMES

People from all over San Francisco and the bay district are attending the Triduum exercises at Our Lady of Perpetual Help church, Daly City. The beauty of the newly decorated church and shrine and the music of the chimes attract hundreds daily from outside the parish.

Next Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, the solemn blessing of the chimes will take place; also the dedication of the church.

A very eloquent preacher, the Very Rev. Henry Schutten, will preach the principal sermons and will be assisted in the religious services by Fathers Donohoe and Doyle.

CHRISTMAS FROLIC PLANNED FOR NEXT FRIDAY NIGHT

"Christmas comes but once a year," say the Juniors of Jefferson Union high school, "and when it does, we have to celebrate." So they have planned the Christmas Frolic, the gayest dance of the term, for next Friday night, which also marks the close of school.

There is another reason, too, for selecting this date for an especially peppy dance, for next Friday happens to be December 13, and "big doings" are necessary to dispel any stray jinxes that may be lurking in dark corners.

Decorations, music, special features —all will typify that intangible, precious Yuletide spirit that spells Good Times to the guests.

Santa Claus himself is making an exception to his usual procedure by appearing in person before his regular season. He has suggested that he might even distribute gifts to some of the dancers who distinguish themselves.

Bids fo rthe affair, which is to be held in the high school auditorium, may be obtained from any student of the school. All guests, except alumni and former students, need these invitations for admittance. The price of admission, payable at the door, is 50 cents.

COMBINATION ANNIVERSARY AND BIRTHDAY DINNER

A combination anniversary and birthday dinner was given on Thanksgiving day by Ms. Alfred Studinger and Mrs. William C. Jones, at the home of Mrs. Studinger on Templeton avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Studinger celebrated the sixth anniversary of their wedding; it was also the birthday of Mrs. Jones. The dining room was beautifully decorated with strings of colored electric lights and serpentine. Singing and dancing were the main diversions of the evening. Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Studinger received many charming gifts.

The guests were: Messrs. and Mesdames George Studinger, Francis Williams, Philip E. Garcia, Albert Garcia, I. Garci, Charles Garica, Alfred Studinger, William C. Jones; Mesdames D. Alvarez and Mary Wilson; Misses Mabel Garcia and Florence Garcia; Messrs. Emile Tempone and Sonny Studinger.

GENERAL PERSHING P. T. A.

At the regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, Judge Brown, formerly of the Juvenile Court, gave an interesting talk on "National Parent Service," a publication which he advised all parents to read.

Miss Robson, from the Hostess Cake Company, also gave a very instructive talk on "Child Health."

After the meeting coffee and cake were served, the cake being supplied by the Hostess Cake Company. The table was prettily decorated in scarlet and green.

LAWSUIT TO TEST HIGHWAY STATUS

Friendly suits to determine the constiutionality of the state joint highway district act will be filed next week against the directors of Districts No. 9 and 10, it has been announced.

Some $7,300,000 of local highway work is being held up because attorneys for bond houses question the authority given directors to issue revenue bonds at discretion, without a vote of the people. The total amount of work delayed in the state reaches $20,000,000.

The matter came to an issue last week when the directors of District No. 9 decided to issue $1,200,000 of bonds for the new $5,300,000 road to Santa Cruz along the old Ocean Shore highway.

The Junipero Serra highway from San Francisco to Burlingame, costing $2,000,000, is the other road affected.

THE EAGLES NEST

The Fraternal Order of Eagles met on Thursday evening with a good attendance. Preparations were made to entertain the Associated Aeries of the county on next Thursday. The social committee, under Brother Albright's supervision, will provide the feed. Brother Rodenberger has charge of the entertainment and that in itself should be an inducement to atted this meeting. The business men of Daly City are behind this meeting, so come early and see Who's Who in this town.

The dance at San Mateo was a huge success. Daly City was well represented and everyone spent an enjoyable evening.

Lost—A valuable Eagle; last seen on Mission street; answers to the name of Spot. Anyone finding same, report to Eagles Hall.

What names are best fitted to members that do all the talking? Ask Officers Heim and Schramm.

YOUNG FOLKS ENJOY PARTY FOLLOWING THE BIG GAME

Misses Tessie and Marge O'Connor celebrated, with some of their friends, after the Big Game, with a party at their home on Evergreen avenue. The dining room was artistically decorated with flowers and ferns, the color scheme being in keeping with the Big Game colors. In the center of the table was a huge football, made of flowers representing both team's colors. The table favors were small footballs. Those who helped to celebrate, and who had a most enjoyable evening, were: Mr. and Mrs. William Moran, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wall, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Frickie, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Connor, Misses Audrey Diamond, Roberta Heagney, Elsie Fahy, Tessie O'Connor, Helen McCarthy, Marge O'Connor; Messrs. Louis Ehling, Walter Allen, Roy Smith, Jack Williams and Mrs. Helena O'Connor.

SEWING CIRCLE MEMBERS PREPARING FOR DANCE

The Woodrow Wilson-Vista Grande P. T. A. sewing circle met last Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Pizzola, 156 Miriam street. The ladies spent a busy afternoon putting the finishing touches on the fancy work to be sold at their dance and country store to be held Saturday, December 14, at the Daly City auditorium. After an afternoon of sewing the following ladies enjoyed refreshments served by the hostess: Mesdames Light, Edwards, Foss, Smith, Dunn, Stevens, Woodside, Jorgensen, Coffin, Fafford, Rickmann, Heaton, Nelson and Pizola.

ODDS AND ENDS OF WEEK'S NEWS

Accidentally shot in the foot while playing with a .22 target pistol belonging to his father, William S. Swigert, Jr., aged 11, is recovering from his injury at his home in Half Moon Bay.

Federal aid to California for highway construction during the fiscal year 1929-1930 will total $2,501,170, according to dispatches from Washington.

The air ferry of the Curtiss Wright Flying Service has begun regular operation between the Marina of San Francisco and Oakland and Alameda airports. The plane will meet arriving airships at east bay airports and transport passengers to the Marina in eight minutes.

The week end automible toll in the bay district was two persons killed and nine others injured. Two hit and run drivers are being sought by the police.

Federal surveyors have completed the survey of a new road from Weed to Klamath Falls, to be built by Siskiyou, Shasta and Tehama counties. The distance will be 74 miles by the new route instead of 128 miles by the present road.

Facing charges of intoxication, Al Rogers, a policeman of Los Angeles, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head.

Figures reported by Lucy Stebbins, dean of women, University of California, show that 1,871 of the 3,628 undergraduate women live at home. Of these 1,503 live in east bay communities and 368 commute across the bay. Only 526, or 14.5 per cent of the girl students live in sororities or clubs.

A family reunion in Chico on Thanksgiving day brought together a brother and sister for the first time in fifty years. The sister was Mrs. T. B. Drake, of Orland, and the brother, Albert Sparks, who drove to Chico from his home in Minnesota.

Fee schedules in the new State Motor Vehicle Act allows a 50 per cent reduction in the cost of chauffeurs' licenses for 1930, it is announced by the division of motor vehicles. The new fee is $1, as compared with the old rate of $2.

Mrs. Alma Vera Carillo, a white woman, charged with the murder of her husband, Rosaleo Carillo, an Indian, was placed on trial for the second time yesterday at Red Bluff. The first jury that heard the case disagreed.

As the climax of what associates say was business troubles, Leonard H. McRoskey, aged 60, of San Mateo, was found a suicide in a rear room of his mattress factory. When police entered, a small dog, which had stood guard over his masters' body, barred their way.

A. P. Giannini, founder of the Bank of Italy, has presented the city of San Francisco with a check for four million dollars in payment for the Hetch Hetchy construction bonds, purchased by the bank.

The San Joaquin Valley Walnut Growers' report, just issued, shows that 934 tons of walnuts were handled at the Linden plant of the association this year. One of the largest walnut orchards in the world is located near Linden, 12 miles from Stockton.

When fire broke out in the home of Charles Lambert, near Eureka, the barking of Scotty, their dog, roused the Lamberts, who in turn called the firemen and saved their home.

The boosters of Angels Camp, home of Bret Harte and Mark Twain, may have to cancel their plans for their annual snow frolic—because there is no snow. The unusually long dry spell has given the "jumping frog" boosters much to worry about.

"THE DESTRUCTION OF TYRE" PRESBYTERIAN THEME

December 8 is recognized as Bible Sunday in America. All pastors are asked to preach a sermon illustrating the wonders of this wonderful "wofld's best seller." Rev. John R. Stevenson will preach on Sunday evening at 7:45 on the theme, "The Fulfillment of Prophecy in the Destruction of Tyre." The service is especially designed to interest Bible lovers and show them the dependableness of this Book.

Miss Mildred Roof is in charge of the music, and pleasant surprises in music are the order of the day.

Christmas programs are being arranged by the young people and the Sunday school.

OFFICIALS FAVOR ADDITION TO THE COUNTY HOSPITAL

That San Mateo county has no adequate institutions for the care of contagious diseases was brought out in a letter received by the San Mateo county board of Supervisors last Monday from the San Mateo County Medical Society.

The committee delegated to bring the matter to the attention of the board was composed of Dr. W. C. Chidester, Dr. F. Holmes Smith, and Dr. Frank Starr Gregory.

"Were there to be soon a mild epidemic of any common contagious disease, the condition might easily become very serious," the letter read in part.

Members of the board of supervisors agreed that there is need for a place to care for contagious diseases, as many such cases are now sent to San Francisco. They pointed out that they will soon have to consider the matter of increasing the capacity, by adding another wing, at the Community hospital. If steps are not taken sooner, provisions will probably be made in the next budget to take care of the matter. The communication was filed for future reference.

Bids for furnishing electricity at the newly established Millbrae lighting district will be opened on January 6. The district was formed by resolution, after the votes cast at the recent electtion had been canvassed. Attorney H. M. Childs of San Francisco presented the resolution.

The request of residents of the Emerald Lake district to withdraw from the Woodside fire district was granted, as there were no protests. The petitions for withdrawal were presented by Attorney Gilbert D. Ferreil of Burlingame. Residents of the Emerald Lake territory wish to establish a fire district of their own, it was stated.

County Surveyor George M. Kneese was instructed to make a survey of the shortest and straightest route from the Skyline boulevard to La Honda. This will be the first step toward a new roadway between the two points. Such a road was requested by 484 signers on a petition presented to the board. January 6 was set as the date for the signers of the petition to appear before the board for an informal discussion of the matter.

It has been proposed by Fred H. Drake, president of the San Mateo County Chamber of Commerce that this stretch of highway be made a secondary highway in the state system.

The Status of Joint Highway District No. 9 will be determined at the meeting scheduled for some time in January, at which time the directors will meet with the San Mateo county board of supervisors. The district was formed for the creation of the coastside scenic highway from San Francisco to Santa Cruz. Supervisor Manuel Francis, one of the directors, pointed out that "San Francisco is not living up to her agreement; that San Mateo county's share for the work on San Pedro grade has lain in the county treasury for some time."

The board voted to attend in a body the meeting held in San Francisco on Tuesday, to determine why the San Mateo-Palo Alto link of the Bayshore highway is not included in the state highway district's road-building program for the coming year.

Congressman Arthur M. Free, in a letter, acknowledged the board's endorsement of Sunnyvale as the site for the navy's proposed dirigible base.

The Dumbarton Bridge Company's license fee of $2,300 was received.

The board agreed to pay $1,500 for two acres of marsh land near Redwood City, on which a sewage disposal plant will be constructed.

BUILDING PERMITS FOR PAST MONTH

The following building permits were issued during the month of November:

H. H. Smith, Knowles avenue, garage.

B. C. Ross, 444 Westlake avenue, five rooms.

Horn & Conroy, 774 Bellevue avenue, five rooms.

B. Milano, 198 Santa Barbara avenue, fire house.

Horace Fellows, 189 Santa Barbara avenue, four rooms.

A. J. Brabant, 365 Niantic avenue, alterations.

Anne Plansky, 239 Hillcrest Drive, one room addition.

Would Prevent Hospital Fires

State-wide steps to reduce fire hazards in hospitals, and especially to protect those in danger from X-ray and similar explosions, are to be taken by the State Industrial Accident Commission, according to Will J. French, state director of industrial relations.

DALY CITY THEATRE

Warner Brothers and First National Vitaphone First Showings

"Where Sound Pictures Sound Best"

Saturday, December 7th

MONTE BLUE **EDNA MURPHY**

"GREYHOUND LIMITED"

WARNER BROTHERS GREAT RAILROAD THRILLER

Sunday - Monday
Dec. 8 and 9

Roland West's

Tremendous
Thrill Drama
of the Underworld

"Alibi"

with
Chester Morris
and Mae Busch

Talking
Thrills!
Singing
Delights!

MICKEY MOUSE
in "When the Cat's Away"

Tuesday and Wednesday
December 10 - 11

BACLANOVA
CLIVE BROOK
NEIL HAMILTON
in

"A Dangerous Woman"

An All Talking Dramatic Masterpiece

TENSE! STARTLING! SENSATIONAL!

Thursday-Friday
Dec. 12 - 13

D. W. Griffith's

MASSIVE

SUPER
SPECIAL

"LADY OF THE PAVEMENTS"

with
LUPE VELEZ
Wm. Boyd
Jetta Goudal

CHARLEY CHASE
in "Leaping Love"

Saturday
Dec. 21st

CHILDREN'S FREE
XMAS MATINEE

AT
10 a. m.

The Desert Moon Mystery

by KAY CLEAVER STRAHAN

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SYNOPSIS

Sam Stanley, wealthy owner of the Desert Moon ranch, informs his housekeeper, Mary Magin, that his former wife's twin daughters, Danielle and Gabrielle, are coming to the ranch to live, their mother being dead and their father, Daniel Canneziano, who had been the cause of Sam's divorcing his wife, in the penitentiary. Sam's adopted boy, John, has grown to manhood, and a girl, Martha, weak-minded. Mrs. Ollie Ricker, Martha's nurse, Hubert Hand and Chadwick Caufield are the other members of the household. The girls arrive John becomes engaged to Danielle. Gabrielle seeks to win John from her sister, and her actions when she receives a letter from France mystify Mrs. Magin. Sam learns Canneziano is soon to be released from the penitentiary. Mrs. Magin finds Gabrielle, choked to death. Caufield commits suicide. The coroner's verdict is murder and suicide. Sam finds a note left by Caufield confessing he killed Gabrielle, but the rancher proves he could not have done it, and the entire household is under suspicion. A conference is held in an attempt to solve the mystery. It is revealed that the two girls came to the ranch seeking the proceeds of a train robbery in which their father participated.

CHAPTER X—Continued

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"Enough," Sam sort of sighed it. "I don't care about details. What do you say we forget it, let by-gones be by-gones?"

"No," said Mrs. Ricker. "Martha did not kill Gaby, as you think she did, Sam. I killed her."

Sam dropped his pipe.

There was another one of those dead, awful silences.

"The guilt," Mrs. Ricker went on, "is entirely mine. All of my life I have been cursed with an abnormal jealousy, and with the violent temper that usually accompanies such jealousy. Martha, you all know, possessed both of these traits—a heritage from her mother—without the balancing power of an adult mind. She can't be blamed. No one could dare to blame her for that. It was I, who planted those seeds of violence, jealousy, hatred, and murderous intent, who killed Gabrielle. Martha was only the helpless instrument."

I was sorry that there was eagerness, mixed with the pity in John's voice, as he asked, "Did Martha tell you that she committed the murder?"

"No. Other parental heritages of hers were a lying tongue, and slyness. She persisted in her denials, to me. But it is all so evident.

"Gabrielle joined Martha at the rabbit hutch. You know how one sits down on one's heels to peer in at the rabbits in the low hutch. I think Gaby must have been squatting, so when Martha jumped at her and overpowered her. Martha was strong, you know. Her hands were very strong. She had hated Gaby ever since Gaby had come. Martha had said to me, dozens of times, that some day she thought she would kill Gaby.

"Seized unaware, it would not take long to strangle a person. Martha must have done it in two or three minutes. She took the bracelet then, rolled the body under the clump of berry bushes, right there, and came straight into the house.

"She showed no feeling of guilt, because she had none. At that moment, we should all have suspected something. We should have known that girl would not, suddenly, have given Martha the bracelet. Later, she told you about it, didn't she Sam? And you left Chad in the barn, to hoodwink Hubert, and came up and hid the body for her?"

"By G—d, I did not," Sam said.

"No need to deny it, now Sam," she said. "It was the deed of a good man. Martha was never responsible—but courts might not have understood. Now we will all shield her—keep her secret. Chad's confession will satisfy the world. Danny must know, I suppose; but no one else need ever know—"

"But I tell you—" Sam shouted.

I don't know how, without raising her voice, she made it sound through his shouting, and silence it, but she did. "Sam—don't. Why can't we be honest, now, among ourselves? You see, I know that both you and Martha were on those stairs when the body was put there—"

My thoughts jumped out into words. "Chad must have known it, too. He must have decided that he'd rather die than betray either Sam or Martha."

"He might have thought it," Sam said, with a lack of emphasis that edged stupidity. "He could not have known it. It is not true."

"Mrs. Ricker," John questioned, "what makes you think that dad and Martha had both been on the stairs?"

"Sam's pipe ashes were strewn about. And there was an old tatting shuttle, with which I had been trying to teach Martha to tat, that morning. She had it in her pocket. It must have dropped out. I think that Mary tried to clean the pipe ashes away. They were gone when I saw the body the second time. I should have tried to do it, but I didn't think. I had no time. I was frantic with fear.

"Wait," she answered our looks and our exclamations of astonishment. "I will explain. Martha and I, as you know, were alone here in the house while the rest of you were out looking for Gaby. Martha was sleepy. I was worried about her sleeping so much, and tried all sorts of ways to keep her awake until bedtime. I kept sending her out to look at the sky, to see whether a storm was coming to spoil her fireworks. She would run out, and right in again, to curl on the davenport and try to sleep. Finally, though, she stayed outside, for a long time.

"When the wind rose, I looked first for Martha. I called her several times before she answered. Finally she came around the house from the direction of the rabbit hutch, again. Surely, you must have noticed, as I did, that she had seemed strangely excited during all the late afternoon and early evening. At the time, I thought it was because she had been given the monkey charm, and because she was to have the fireworks.

"But, when we were alone, she talked very foolishly—even for her. She began with it again, when she had answered my call. She kept insisting that soon we were all going to be surprised about something; something very nice, that had to do with Chad—but she would never, never tell what it was. As a rule, I should not have paid any attention to such talk. But, for some reason, her excitement, and her insistence about a surprise, disturbed me. I spent some minutes quizzing her. I even tried to bribe her. I could get nothing from her but further talk about the nice surprise.

"Then the storm came and I ran upstairs to begin closing the house. I thought I'd begin with the attic, and come down through the house. I tried the attic door. It was locked, and the key was missing. I was alarmed. Possibly, because we were all disturbed concerning Gaby's absence; and possibly, because inside doors are so seldom locked here. I remembered the old skeleton key hanging in the broom closet. I ran down and got it.

"I opened the door. I saw the body. I touched it—and knew, even before I saw the tatting shuttle there, and the beaded bag, covered with Sam's pipe ashes. I snatched the shuttle and hid it in my dress. At that instant, through the open window at the end of the hall, I heard your voices, as you ran up the road from the garage to escape the rain. I shut the door, locked it, and ran downstairs. Do you know, when I met you, I had that key in my hand?"

"Mary came up to me to help me close the French windows. I did not think. I had a wild desire to rid myself of that key. I was determined to protect Martha, at any cost. Mary's pocket was hanging like an open bag, right below me. I dropped the key into it. It was a frightful mistake. If I had kept it, and thrown it away, every one in the house would have been exonerated. It was, as you know, the one link that connected the household with the crime. That is, after Mary had cleaned away the pipe ashes. The little fleck or two of them, which Danny saw, might have fallen there days before—"

"Mary," Sam questioned, "were my pipe ashes on the bag? Did you stop to clean them off, before you gave the alarm?"

"Yes, they were, Sam. Yes, I did."

"Then," Sam said, "whoever put the body there, put the pipe ashes there to throw suspicion on me; and whoever it was, knew my habits, too. He must have put the tatting shuttle there, as well, for good measure. Does anyone of you think that Martha would have had the wits to save ashes out of my pipe and put them on the bag?"

"Chad!" John almost sang it, in his eagerness. "He was wise enough, and fool enough. His one idea was to protect Martha. He helped her get the body up there, between seven and eight o'clock, and he put the ashes there to shield her. I said fool enough. But, come to think of it, he knew what he was doing. He was protecting her with the one person in the house who could not have done it; with the one person that no Nevada jury would convict. Then, he turned around and shielded dad with his death and his written confession. From start to finish, it works out, plain as day. Gosh! Say—it is terrible. Gosh—horrible! Think of it— But, thank God, it is cleared up, anyway."

"'Cleared up, anyway' is right," Sam said, and looked around at all of us, pityingly, like he'd look at a litter of sickly puppies.

"All satisfied, then?" he questioned. "All satisfied that Martha killed her, and that Chad carried the body upstairs and hid it for her, and left the false clews—including the tatting shuttle, for reasons unknown—and came down, merry and happy enough, until he took a sudden notion to write a false confession and walk out and shoot himself through the head?"

"Dad," there was pleading in John's voice, "you don't mean to say that you can't see the thing? That you aren't satisfied with this absolutely logical explanation?"

"Yes," Sam answered, with his most dangerous drawl, "that's what I mean to say. It takes more, or seems to, to satisfy me than it takes to satisfy some folks. Satisfied? Not by a d—n sight!"

John lost his temper. "For the love of Pete, why aren't you? What would satisfy you? Say? What are you trying to do? Do you like the case against me so well that you can't give it up? What's the use of bucking straight facts?"

"D—n your straight facts. We haven't got any. I've a few straight fact questions, though, that will blow this story galley-west. Here's one of them:

"Does it stand to reason that, for two months, Gaby lived right here unharmed by Martha? But that, on the very day, when she feared death from some outside enemy, Martha should kill her?"

"It is coincidental," John admitted. "But, just the same, there are lots of coincidences. We all meet them, all the time."

"It wasn't a coincidence that Gaby was afraid of meeting, when she walked out of this house on the fourth of July. Here's another question.

"Mrs. Ricker, she says, was plumb convinced that Martha committed the murder, and that I helped her by carrying the body upstairs afterward. She thought this the night of the murder, and the next day, and ever since. Why, then, didn't she come to me and, anyway, put out a feeler or two in my direction? She knew that I'd go as far to save Martha as she would go. I wouldn't protect John, nor any other person on this place; but Martha was a child—younger, even, than a child in some ways. Mrs. Ricker knew that I'd save Martha with my last dollar, and, as somebody said the other day, with my last lie. Mrs. Ricker and I were alone together for more than half an hour the morning of the fifth. Why didn't she give me a hint, then, of any of this?"

"I—I was afraid," Mrs. Ricker answered. So long as she was living, I was afraid of everything—of every one. I was afraid of myself. I dared not think; I dared not look."

"Now, now," Sam said. "I see your point in that, especially since talking had got you in bad once. But—see here. I said a while ago that I'd always known you were a good woman. Well, I am going to keep on knowing it for the present. But you, thinking as you say you think, directly accused Danny the other day. That was not the act of a good woman—"

"G—d, Ollie!" Hubert Hand burst out. "He is going to try to pin it on you, to save Martha and the Stanley name—even yet."

"You," Sam said, "are a liar."

"Safe enough. I wouldn't fight you, and you know it, old man."

Sam jumped to his feet. I had to stumble over John, but I managed to reach Sam first, and to stand in front of him. "Boys, boys," I begged. "Not here. Not in this house tonight. Remember—"

Hubert stuck his hands in his pockets and walked away. Sam dropped into his chair. The telephone bell, in the other room, began to ring.

CHAPTER XI

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Canneziano.

Hubert answered the telephone, and called to Sam. I followed him into the living room to hear what was to be heard. I think that John and Mrs. Ricker followed for the same reason.

When Sam said, "Read it, please," I knew that it was another telegram. They telephone all of our telegrams to us from Rattail, and mail them later, when they get around to it, if they don't forget.

Sam kept writing things on the telephone pad, and asking central to repeat, and to repeat again, and to spell that, please. Lands, but I got nervous, before he finally hung up the receiver, and turned to us, and asked:

"Any of you ever hear of a fellow named Lynn MacDonald?"

None of us, of course, ever had.

"Seems he is a kind of detective," Sam explained. "He calls himself a crime analyst, and he specializes in murder cases. Works on his own hook, kind of like Sherlock Holmes did, I guess. He wants to come here and take the case. He wants his expenses, and nothing else, if he fails. If he succeeds, he wants ten thousand, cash. Poor fish. I'd have paid twenty thousand just as quick. Anyway, that's a fair proposition. I'm going to wire him to come. Let's see—Danny is coming up on Friday afternoon, isn't she? I'll wire MacDonald to take the same train. That will save us two trips to Rattail in the heat."

"Listen, dad—sleep over it," John urged. "If Mrs. Ricker is right about all this, and I swear that I think she is, isn't it enough for us to know about it, dad? If you get a detective here, and he comes to the same conclusion, we can't keep it a secret, then."

Sam said, "He won't. And we aren't wanting, nor needing any secrets on the Desert Moon, just now."

He sat down and began to write the telegram. Five minutes, and he was reading it to the operator at Rattail. He had just hung up the telephone receiver when the doorbell rang.

For a minute I did not recognize the man standing there on the porch. In the next minute I did recognize him. My heart stood stock still. He was Daniel Canneziano.

He pushed right past me, into the room, without waiting for an invitation. He always was a polished, perfumed little fellow, but that evening, what with his gray spats and a cane, he was right-down dandified.

My Heart Stood Stock Still. He Was Daniel Canneziano.

"Got a chap to drive me up from Rattail," he said.

"I left my trunk down there," he went on, taking off his light gray overcoat and brushing it, and folding it across his valise that he had set on a chair. "The chap couldn't bring it. I thought you could send a truck down for it, tomorrow, Sam."

"Counting on paying us quite a visit, eh, Canneziano?" Sam found his voice at last. "Trunk and everything."

"As a matter of fact," Canneziano answered, sitting down and making himself comfortable on the small davenport, "all that mess you stirred up about me, on the night of the murder, makes traveling not altogether agreeable for the present. Yes, I think, all things considered, that having me for a guest, after having set all the police in the country on my trail, keeping me safely here, as it were, is about the least you can do, isn't it?"

"I reckon I could do a little less, in a pinch," Sam drawled. "But, all things considered, as you say—though it might be you and I aren't considering the same things—I'm glad to see you here. Make yourself right at home, for you may be going to stay even longer than you planned."

"Right-o! However, if you have some neat little scheme of trying to pin the murder on me, I'd advise you to abandon it. If I hadn't had water-tight alibis, all along the line—"

"Keep your water-tight alibis in a dry place till you need them," Sam advised. "Maybe you will need them. We've got a crime analyst, specialist in murder cases, coming up here Friday. You can give your alibis to him."

"That crime analyst sounds like Lynn MacDonald. That's what she calls herself."

"She!" Sam said.

"If you've got Lynn MacDonald you've got a woman."

"H—l," Sam exploded.

"Just the same," Canneziano said, "she's the best dic on the coast. Some say that she is the best in this country. If anybody can find out who killed Gaby, this MacDonald woman can."

"We don't want a woman. Better wire her not to come, dad," John urged.

This time it was Canneziano who looked quickly and sharply at John. "You're dead right you had," he said, "if you don't want the murderer discovered."

"Sam," Hubert Hand suggested, "you'd better wire and verify her references, anyway."

"There's generally more than one way to skin a cat," Sam said, "besides the way you are told to do it."

Leaving us to think that over, he went to the telephone and called the office of the Morning Record at Telko and asked for Mr. Clarence Pette. Pette was a reporter on a San Francisco newspaper, who had been at the ranch at the time of the inquest on Gaby.

When Sam got him, he asked him whether he knew Lynn MacDonald. Evidently he said that he knew who she was, for Sam told him to take number Twenty-one at Telko, Friday afternoon, and to meet him here and he would pay him fifty dollars for his trouble.

I remembered my manners. "Mr. Canneziano," I said, "this is John Stanley, Sam's adopted son. He and Danny are engaged to be married. This other gentleman is Mr. Hubert Hand, and the lady is Mrs. Ricker."

Things felt real polite, for a minute, as they always do just after folks have been introduced.

"Bad times you have been having around here, lately," Canneziano said pleasantly, as if he were talking about the weather.

Mrs. Ricker excused herself and went upsairs.

Sam spoke directly to Canneziano. "Did you ever know a man named Bauermont—Lewis Bauermont?"

"Strangler Bauermont? Very well indeed. Has he anything to do with it?"

"What's that you called him?" Sam asked, sharply.

"Strangler Bauermont, you mean?"

I remembered that Danny had told me his nickname was "Mexico."

Sam said, "That's what I mean. How did he come by a name like that?"

"He is by way of being a wrestler, I believe; and won the name for some particularly clever hold that brought his man down every time. I have never gone in for that sort of thing—can't give you the scientific details. He was a jiu-jitsu expert, also. Oh, no, no," as he noticed our quickening interests. "He is a continent and an ocean away, at present. Moreover, murder is quite outside his line—quite."

"You are sure he is in Europe now?" Sam questioned.

"I had a letter from him, only a few days ago, written and sent from Deauville. A cable to Scotland Yard would locate him precisely for you, I have no doubt."

"That letter you had from him," Sam said. "I suppose you destroyed it?"

"I don't tie my letters into packets bound with blue ribbons."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Italy Makes Good Use of Vast Water Power

One after another the great waterfalls of the Alps and Apennines have been placed in subjugation by Italy, their water guided into huge, high pressure conduits and forced to turn giant turbines, writes Henry Kittredge Norton in World's Work.

Before the World war these turbines were already producing two billion kilowatt hours per year; during the war, because of the shortage of coal and the need for power, this capacity was increased by another billion kilowatts. After the post-war turbulence had settled down into the Fascist regime, a new impetus was given to electrical development, and by the end of 1926 the actual consumption had reached 7,500,000,000 kilowatt hours per annum.

Since then it has continued to mount. More than 7,000 of Italy's 9,000 communes are now supplied with electrical energy. The per capita consumption runs close to 200 kilowatt hours.

As was to be expected under the circumstances, by far the greater portion of Italy's electrical energy is used in turning the wheels of her factories. Lighting is a secondary consideration. Sixty per cent of Italy's electrical energy is used for motor power; 15 per cent for light and heat; 14 per cent in the metallurgical and chemical industries, and the remaining 11 per cent for the electrified railways.

Great Adventure

Four-year-old Marvin's parents were planning something unusual for a vacation, and during that period grandma was expected to care for the children. Daddy gave the little lad injunction to "be very good" during his absence.

"I will, daddy, for it is going to be a great adventure for you."

He could not remember a time when dad and mother had before taken a trip.

"Spoiled" Child Handicapped

Many parents feel that the first few years of a child's life are an unimportant twilight before the real dawn of personality and utterly ignore the importance of those early years for development, observes Clara Bassett in Hygeia Magazine.

Careful study of the spoiled child problem shows that such children do not outgrow their early habits, as parents often think they will. Many of them go through life with these attitudes and then develop mental and nervous breakdowns when they find they are not equipped to meet bravely the vicissitudes and responsibilities of adult existence.

SOME TIMELY SUGGESTIONS FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Rose for Lamp Base

Roses in midwinter? Yes, beautiful full-blown ones if you please. Make them of crepe paper for the boudoir, sun parlor or living room. The stems are of exaggerated length, fully thirty-six inches, so as to twine around the base of the floor lamp. Be sure to choose paper in a color which matches or harmonizes with the general tone of the room. The woman skilled in paper flower-making will be delighted with this charming item for home decoration. For an inexpensive "made-it-myself" Christmas gift it is one of the prettiest suggestions of the season.

Holds Toothbrush

As a reminder that "a place for everything and everything in its place" is a good precept, Santa Claus plans to distribute "oodles" of cunning toothbrush holders to the "kiddies" this year. Two popular painted wooden types are shown in the picture. An amusing model which brings a smile at every glance is that of a wee china dog or kitty cat which holds the brush so that it looks like the tail of the little creature.

Transparent Flowers

Never in the history of flower craft has anything lovelier been devised than the new transparent cellophane flowers. They look so like exquisite blown glass posies it's difficult to tell them apart. The petals are cut out of lovely, colorful cellophane paper, then covered with liquid transparent sealing wax. A bowl full of poppies as pictured will bring a sure enough "Merry Christmas" to the recipient.

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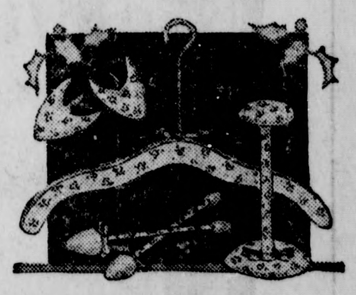

Not only do we dress, but we furnish our homes, a la ensemble, especially the boudoir. Dress hangers, shoe trees, hat stands must match. Latest item to add to this assortment is heart shaped shoe tips. Stuff them in the toes and they "do the trick" of keeping milady's shoes in perfect shape. Christmas displays feature sets as pictured of painted wood and enamel cloth in identical patterning.

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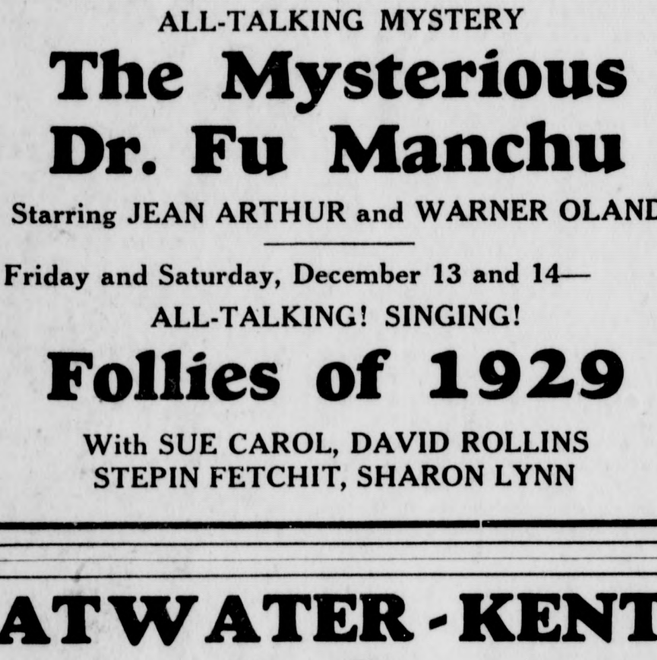

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We live in an age where not only the necessities of life but many of the luxuries are part and parcel of the daily life of the average person. American business has but entered the new era of social and commercial progress.

Only the foolish, as the President says, can lack faith in the future of America. The wise will take the collapses and depressions for what they are—puny obstacles in the great march of progress.

CARELESSNESS, THE GREAT DESTROYER

Today, if this is an average twenty-four hours, several score people will be killed and thousands injured in automobile accidents. It happened yesterday, and it will happen again tomorrow.

Somebody turned without giving a signal; somebody was driving too fast; somebody didn't stop at a school district or a through boulevard; somebody insisted too much on right-of-way or what he conceived to be his privilege; somebody lost his head in a crisis. The result: Casualties and waste, in lives and property, that knowledge, caution and fairness toward others would have prevented.

It should be a reasonably simple thing to observe traffic laws, to keep a machine under control, to learn the written and unwritten rules of the road, and to keep one's eyes open for the mistakes of others as well as one's own. Yet millions of motorists fail to do so.

It should be remembered that every accident is caused because someone was reckless, incompetent, careless, or ignorant. Unpreventable accidents are rare—very rare. And in this day of fast cars and congested traffic, the poor driver is a menace to the life and property of every citizen.

TEACHING INVESTMENT FACTS

The extension division of a large western university announces a course in the scope and functions of the stock exchange. The evolution of modern capitalism, classes of brokers, money and credit, the relation of the exchanges to the public, and kindred subjects will be taught.

One wonders what such an announcement as this would have caused a quarter of a century ago. It is very possible that a large body of the public would have risen in wrath and denounced institutions of learning for pandering to gamblers, and surrendering to Mammon, all in the best rhetorical style of the period. Newspapers would have been flooded with letters signed "Pro Bono Publicus" protesting against the outrage.

But now the project will elicit only support and interest by the great majority. The finance-consciousness of the public has so changed, and knowledge has been so well disseminated, that it is generally understood that a working grasp of the fundamentals of so important an institution as the modern stock exchange is essential to business life in all fields of endeavor.

TEACHERS' COLLEGES MORE THAN DOUBLED

The number of teachers' colleges has increased from forty-seven to one hundred and thirty-seven since 1919-20, it is announced by the Office of Education, Department of Interior. In 1927-28, thirty-six institutions, distributed over fifteen states, were added to the list of teachers' colleges. Most of these four-year institutions were developed from two and three-year normal schools by the addition of a year or two of work.

Growth in the number of schools, colleges and equivalent major divisions of education in the universities and colleges has also been noteworthy. More than three-fourths of the state universities now have schools or colleges of education; approximately half of these have been organized within the past ten years. In addition to the institutions having these major professional teacher-training units, by far the larger number of more than nine hundred other colleges, junior colleges, and universities in this country have departments, curricula, or courses in professional education, and thus contribute to the training of teachers, supervisors, and administrators for American schools.

AN EXAMPLE OF CRIME PREVENTION

The railroads of the United States have set an example of crime prevention that might well be emulated by municipal and state governments throughout the land.

During the eight years from 1920 to 1928 crime, in general, increased all over the United States. Yet, in that period, losses due to robbery on railroad property were reduced 93 per cent, from over twelve million to less than a million annually. It is expected that a further improvement will be effected during the current year.

The efficiency of the railroad policy is given additional proof by the fact that, during the last few years, they have averaged 97 convictions to each 100 arrests. In comparison to this, the ratio in many of our large cities is about one to ten.

The success of the railroad police is due to the fact that, following the example of the United States Secret Service, the consider no case closed until it is cleaned up. Criminals are pursued relentlessly until they are captured. As a result, such gentry as card sharpers, confidence men and baggage thieves have been practically driven from the railroads.

Some prize-fighters we have in mind would make dandy census enumerators, being experienced in taking the count.

Speaking of war debts, it appears that Uncle Sam's mathematical education included substraction and partial payments, but never reached cancellation.

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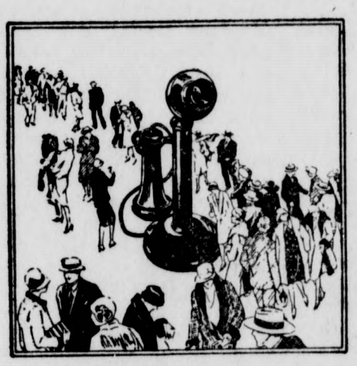

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Colma News Notes

Rev. Father Schenone, of Sacramento, was a dinner guest on Thanksgiving day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Balestra.

The New Colma Theatre has installed during the past week an up to date heating system, making the theatre very comfortable.

Our popular Johnny Dell has just signed a year's contract to play every night at Majestic Dance Hall, Geary and Fillmore streets, San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. McDevitt and daughter Aurora, of Vallejo, were dinner guests on Thanksgiving day at the home of Mrs. McDevitt's mother, Mrs. May.

Miss Tuddie Silicani spent the past two weeks visiting friends in South San Francisco.

Mrs. Moresco has been on the sick list for the past week and her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Miss Mary Zipser spent the last week end as the house guest at the home of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zipser, in Berkeley.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Perodi, of Covoure street, are receiving the congratulations of their many friends upon the birth of a daughter, at their home, Monday, December 2.

R. Steffelli has opened the Colma Smoke Shop in the Colma Auditorium building on Mission street, and his many friends wish him success in his his new enterprise.

John Garibaldi motored to Pescadero last Wednesday with friends, coming home with plenty of rabbits, but minus the Garibaldi pet dog, who was lost during the hunt.

Ricco Benidetti and Judge Knutti, of Lawndale, motored to Moss Beach last Sunday, where they spent the day rabbit hunting, coming home with the limit.

Angelo Stmpanoni, Lester Langford, Albert Minaldi and Herman Lorenz motored to the Santa Cruz mountains last Saturday, where they spent the week end quail hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Passaglia entertained a group of relatives and friends at dinner on Thanksgiving day, having as their guests Mr. and Mrs. David Arata, Miss Onorie Arata, Alvin Arata, David Arata, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Tomei and children, Miss Margaret and Jack, Miss Laura Passaglia, Paul Passaglia and Eva Passaglia.

A Nash coach owned and driven by G. Carpena, while proceeding north along Mission street, last Sunday evening, struck a Ford coupe, owned by M. G. Snyder, 6147 Mission street, and a Moon touring car, owned by L. L. Sutton, 6145 Misison street, damaging both machines. The driver was given a tag for reckless driving by Officer Ed Heim.

The school children of the Jefferson grammar and R. S. Thornton schools, under the leadership of Miss M. Mosconi, are preparing Christmas carols and songs to be sung at the Colma Community Christmas tree entertainment to be held Saturday, December 21. All the children are looking forward with much pleasure to this big event.

Joseph Kusber, of the Willard Service Station, on Mission street, returned to Mrs. Eva Dollin, of Vallemar, her purse containing a $300 diamond ring and other valuable jewelry and currency, which he found on the highway near Edgemar. Mr. Kusber was rewarded for his honesty by a gift of $25 from Mrs. Dollin. Mrs. Dollin has just completed a new home in Vallemar, near the George Rich estate.

Miss Elsie Silicani has recovered after a recent illness and is able to be up and around again.

The friends of Mrs. Bennie Picetti are happy to see her about again after being on the sick list for the past two weeks.

Philip Deller entertained a group of friends at a stag card party last Wednesday evening, having as his guests Angelo Stampanoni, Remo Boni and Paul Selmi.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Arata entertained at a rabbit dinner at their home on Mission street last Monday evening, having as their guests Mr. and Mrs. W. Passaglia, Miss Laura Passaglia, Paul Passaglia, Elva Passaglia and Mr. and Mrs. F. Bottini.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Casey, of Mission street, entertained at a family dinner on Thanksgiving day, having as their guests Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Barrett and children, of San Mateo; Mr. and Mrs. R. Savage and children, of Half Moon Bay, and James Casey, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Garibaldi entertained a large gathering of relatives at dinner on Thanksgiving day, having as their guests Mr. and Mrs. George Volkman, Mr. and Mrs. John Garibaldi, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garibaldi, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Garibaldi and daughter Irene, and Leon Shaen.

A group of tired hunters returned home last Sunday evening after spending the day quail hunting. The group left Colma at 4 o'clock Sunday morning, motoring to Custine, near Fresno, where they hiked over 20 miles over the mountains, each returning with a fine catch of quail. Those in the merry party were Les Volkman, Harold Varni, George Volkman, Angelo Olcese and U. Granucci.

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WOMAN SLAYER GETS LIFE IMPRISONMENT

Harry Kirk, slayer of Miss Clara Boeke of San Francisco, was taken to San Quentin last Monday by Deputy Sheriffs Timothy O'Rourk and Ed Farrell.

Kirk was sentenced last Saturday to imprisonment for his lifetime for cutting the throat of his school teacher sweetheart.

Notwithstanding Kirk's apparent resignation to his fate, he was under vigilant guard at the San Mateo county jail prior to his removal to San Quentin, as he had admitted suicidal intent, remarking rather laconically that he "didn't mind hanging, but the idea of life in jail doesn't appeal to me."

Kirk betrayed no remorse over the death of the young woman he lured into the San Carlos hills and murdered. "I never felt sorry about it; why should I begin now," he said.

SAN MATEO OFFICALS DISMSSED BY COUNCIL

City Manager O. F. Weissgerber and Police Judge George A. Kertell were dismissed last Monday night by vote of four members of the San Mateo City Council.

The resignations of the deposed officials had been requested by Mayor William H. Taylor, but the officials refused to resign.

No further reason was given by Mayor Taylor for the ouster except expression of a belief on the part of four members of the board that a majority of San Mateo citizens favor a change. He said the board was acting after mature deliberation.

Following the vote declaring the offices vacant, the Council named successors to take office January 1. Councilman Martin Poss voted no on the motions for both removals and on the motions for naming both successors.

E. P. Wilsey, chief deputy in the office of County Surveyor George A. Kneese, was named to succeed Weissgerber, and Louis Kinnell, San Mateo salesman, was named to succeed Judge Kertell. Justice John J. McGrath will serve as city police judge until Kinnell takes office, and William Soule, assistant city engineer, will be acting city manager during the next thirty days, said the mayor.

PENISULA'S WATER PROBLEM DISCUSSED

Advantages of Hetch Hetchy water for the cities of San Mateo and Santa Clara counties was urged last Wednesday night at a public meeting at Palo Alto, by Mayor James Rolph, and City Engineer M. M. O'Shaughnessy, of San Francisco. The meeting was called by the Exchange Club of Palto Alto for purposes of information.

Mr. O'Shaughnessy, who made the principal address, assured the peninsula communities that by forming water districts they would be assured of all the water they needed at a low cost.

He predicted that the aqueduct to Irvington and Menlo Park would be completed wihtin three years.

Supervisor Charles P. Cooley, of Palo Alto, spoke in favor of the Hetch Hetchy plan.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE OF AUTOMOBILES TO SATISFY LIENS

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 10th day of December, 1929, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. on said day, at the premises known as Colma Garage & Machine Shop, situated on Mission Road, between School and Vale Streets, in the City of Colma, County of San Mateo, State of California, the undersigned will sell at public auction for cash in gold coin of the United States, the personal property herein below described.

Said auction and sale will be made under and by virtue of the provisions of Section 3051 and 3052 of the Civil Code of the State of California, and for the purpose of satisfying liens of the undersigned on the respective items of said personal property in the sums set opposite said respective items for services rendered the owners of said items by the undersigned in towing, repairing, caring for and safekeeping said respective items of said personal property, together with the costs of this sale.

Said items of said personal property and the amounts of said respective liens thereon are as follows, to-wit:

1. Star Touring Car, Motor No. 110262, bearing 1929 California license No. 3B-67-70. Lien $40.
2. Nash Touring Car, 1919 Model, Motor No. 2788, bearing 1928 California license No. 1-053-469. Lien $120.00.
3. Paige Coupe, Motor No. 107726, bearing 1928 California license No. 1-994-547. Lien $75.00.

COLMA GARAGE & MACHINE SHOP,
By P. L. PETERSON.
First publication November 29, 1929.
Last publication December 6, 1929.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, on the 15th day of April, 1929, C. L. Mills and Nell Mills, his wife, did make, execute and deliver a certain deed of trust, wherein said C. L. Mills and Nell Mills, his wife, is designated as Grantor, and City Title Insurance Company, a corporation, as Trustee, and A. G. Gilson as Beneficiary, which said deed of trust was recorded on the 6th day of May, 1929, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, in Volume 415, of Official Records, Page 131, Records of San Mateo County; and

WHEREAS, said deed of trust was made, executed, acknowledged and delivered by said C. L. Mills and Nell Mills, his wife, to City Title Insurance Company, a corporation, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note which is more particularly described in said deed of trust and in the notice of election to sell property described in said deed of trust to satisfy the obligation, and all of said note was made payable to A. G. Gilson; and

WHEREAS, said deed of trust provided that if default should be made in the payment of any of the sums of principal or interest thereon when due in the manner stipulated in said note, the trustee therein named in said deed of trust on demand by the beneficiary should sell the premises in said deed of trust described, in order to accomplish the objects of said trust; and

WHEREAS, default has been made by C. L. Mills and Nell Mills, his wife, designated as the Grantor in said deed of trust, in the payment of both principal and interest of said promissory note; and

WHEREAS, on the 30th day of July, 1929, said A. G. Gilson, beneficiary herein, made, executed, delivered and acknowledged, and caused to be recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, in Volume 431 of Official Records, Page 23, San Mateo County Records, a Notice of Breach of Obligation of Deed of Trust and Election to Sell the Property described in said deed of trust to satisfy the obligation created by said deed of trust and promissory note thereby secured; and

WHEREAS, more than three months have elapsed since the recording of said note; and

WHEREAS, on the 20th day of November, 1929, by an instrument in writing, said City Title Insurance Company, a corporation, granted and conveyed as Trustee all its right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid deed of trust to Leo H. Shapiro; and

WHEREAS, said A. G. Gilson, beneficiary under said deed of trust, consented to the substitution of said Leo H. Shapiro, as Trustee; and

WHEREAS, said substitution of trustee was recorded in Volume 503 of Official Records of San Mateo County, Page one, San Mateo County Records, State of California; and

WHEREAS, the said A. G. Gilson, beneficiary under the terms of said deed of trust, did on the 22nd day of November, 1929, notify the said Leo H. Shapiro, Trustee under said deed of trust, that default had been made in the payment of the principal and interest of said promissory note, and did demand that said trustee sell the premises in said deed of trust described, or such part thereof as in his discretion he should find necessary in order to accomplish the objects of said trust and to satisfy the indebtedness evidenced by said promissory note and secured by said deed of trust and to pay the expenses of enforcement and carrying out of said deed of trust and to pay attorney's fees.

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of the terms of said deed of trust and under and by virtue of the powers and authority given thereby and pursuant to said Notice of Breach of Obligation of Deed of Trust and Election to Sell and in pursuance to said notice and demand, A. G. Gilson, Beneficiary under the terms of said deed of trust, the said Leo H. Shapiro, trustee under said deed of trust, does hereby give notice that on the 23rd day of December, 1929, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon of said day, will sell at the main entrance to the City Hall, on the west side of Polk Street, between McAllister and Grove Streets, in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, lawful money of the United States of America, the real estate hereinafter described. Said real estate will be offered for sale in one parcel and will be sold to the highest bidder. Said sale will be made subject to any and all encumbrances which exist against the property prior to the deed of trust herein described. The following is a description of the property to be sold, to-wit:

All that certain real property situate, lying and being in the City of Daly City, County of San Mateo, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. 50 in Block No. 6 as shown on that certain map entitled "Map No. 1 Vista Grande, Daly City, San Mateo Co. Cal." Filed in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County November 5th, 1906, in Book "C" of Original Maps, at Page 35, and copied into Book 4 of Maps at Page 41, described as follows:

Beginning at the point on the westerly line of Woodrow Street, formerly Winter Street, distance thereon 100 feet northerly from its intersection with the northerly line with Vista Grande Avenue, formerly Vista Avenue. Thence northerly along said line of Woodrow Street 25 feet; thence westerly parallel with said line of Vista Avenue 117.50 feet; thence southerly parallel with said line of Woodrow Street 25 feet; thence easterly parallel with the said line of Vista Avenue 117.50 feet to the point of beginning.

Terms of Sale: Cash in lawful money of the United States, ten (10%) per cent payable to the undersigned on the fall of the hammer; balance on delivery of deed, and if the balance be not paid, said ten (10%) per cent shall be forfeited and the sale shall be void.

LEO H. SHAPIRO,
Trustee.
68 Post Street, San Francisco, California.
Nov. 29; Dec. 6, 13, 20, 1929.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

215730.

On Monday, the 16th day of December, 1929, at 12:00 o'clock M., at the main entrance to the County Court House of the County of San Mateo, in the City of Redwood City, County of San Mateo, State of California, CALIFORNIA PACIFIC TITLE & TRUST COMPANY, trustee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, in lawful money of the United States, the following described real property, situate in the City of Daly City, County of San Mateo, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. 17 in Block No. 20 as shown on that certain map entitled "Map No. 1 Vista Grande, San Mateo Co. Calif." filed in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County, November 5, 1906, in Book "C" of Original Maps at page 35 and copied into Book 4 of Maps, at page 41 thereof.

Said sale will be made to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in a certain deed of trust executed by CHARLES H. DUERNER and THERESA DUERNER, his wife, grantors, to CALIFORNIA PACIFIC TITLE & TRUST COMPANY, a corporation, as trustee, for the benefit and security of ALICE CUMMINGS, dated June 18, 1928, and recorded June 22, 1928, in the office of the County Recorder of said County of San Mateo, in Volume 363 Official Records of the County of San Mateo at page 252.

Notice of breach of said obligation and election to sell said real property was recorded in the office of said County Recorder, August 16, 1929, in Book 431 of Official Records, at page 156.

Dated: November 18, 1929.

(SEAL.)
CALIFORNIA PACIFIC TITLE & TRUST COMPANY, as Trustee.
By H. D. LAWRIE,
Its Assistant Secretary.
Nov. 22, 29; Dec. 6, 13, 1929.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, NICHOLAS J. PREOVOLOS, a single man, did on the 16th day of May, 1929, make, execute and deliver his certain deed of trust on the said 16th day of May, 1929, to LOUIS J. GLICKSBERG, as trustee for the use and benefit of DAVID SIRI, as beneficiary, which said deed of trust was recorded on the 17th day of May, 1929, in Volume 416 of Official Records, page 182, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, which said deed of trust was given to secure the faithful performance of all the obligations contained in said deed of trust, and to secure the payment of a certain promissory note of said grantor, payable to said beneficiary, the sum of Nineteen Hundred Fifty ($1950.00) Dollars, and for that purpose conveyed to the said trustee certain property situate in the County of San Mateo, State of California, to-wit:

Lots Nos. 4, 5 and 6 in Block No. 15 as shown on that certain map entitled Map No. 2 Vista Grande, filed in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County February 4, 1907, in Book "C" of Original Maps at page 14 and copied into Book 4 of Maps at page 52.

WHEREAS, the said grantor has made default in the payment of said promissory note secured by said deed of trust and said promissory note, and

WHEREAS, the said LOUIS J. GLICKSBERG, as such trustee, did heretofore, pursuant to statute in such case made on the 19th day of August, 1929, record in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, in Vol. 431 of Official Records, page 172, his "Notice of Breach and Election to sell under Deed of Trust" or cause to be sold the said real property, reference to which said notice and record thereof, is expressly made, and

WHEREAS, the said DAVID SIRI, as such beneficiary, did on the 20th day of November, 1929, make demand on the undersigned, under power and authority granted to him under said deed of trust to sell the real property therein and hereinbefore described to satisfy the said indebtedness of NICHOLAS J. PREOVOLOS,

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to said demand, and in accordance with the power and authority conferred upon him by said deed of trust, the said LOUIS J. GLICKSBERG, as trustee, does hereby give notice that on **Monday, the 23rd day of December, 1929,** at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. at the premises of Lots 4, 5 and 6 in Vista Grande, in the County of San Mateo, State of California, he will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in lawful money of the United States of America, all of the hereinabove described real property.

All bids and payments shall be made in cash of the United States of America at the time of said sale.

The beneficiary under said deed of trust or any other party or person may purchase at said sale.

Dated: November 20th, 1929.

LOUIS J. GLICKSBERG, Trustee.
Nov. 29; Dec. 6, 13, 20, 1929.

SUMMONS TO ESTABLISH TITLE

Action No. 16790.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

LENGFELD & OLUND, a corporation, Plaintiff, vs. All persons claiming any interest in, or lien upon, the real property herein described or any part thereof, Defendants.

The People of the State of California: To all persons claiming any interest in, or lien upon, the real property herein described or any part thereof, defendants, greeting:

You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of LENGFELD & OLUND, a corporation, plaintiff, filed with the Clerk of the above-entitled Court and County, within three months after the first publication of this Summons, and to set forth what interest or lien, if any, you have in or upon that certain real property or any part thereof, situated in the County of San Mateo, State of California, particularly described as follows:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the County of San Mateo, State of California, particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 4, Block 23, of East San Mateo, as said lot and block are delineated, designated and shown on that certain map which is of record in the office of the County Recorder of said County of San Mateo, in Book 6 of Maps at page 36 thereof, records of said County, entitled "Map of Resubdivisions of Blocks 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, East San Mateo."

And you are hereby notified that, unless you so appear and answer, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint, to-wit: That it be adjudged that the plaintiff is the owner of said property in fee simple absolute; that its title to said property be established and quieted; that the Court ascertain and determine all estates, rights, titles, interests and claims in and to said property, and every part thereof, whether the same be legal or equitable, present or future, vested or contingent, and whether the same consists of mortgages or liens of any description; that plaintiff recover its costs herein and have such other relief as may be meet in the premises.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court this 5th day of November, A. D. 1929.

(SEAL.)
ELIZABETH M. KNEESE, Clerk.
By MURA B. STILLESON,
Deputy Clerk.
Franklin Swart, Attorney for Plaintiff.

MEMORANDUM.

The first publication of this Summons was made in the Daly City Record newspaper on the 15th day of November, A. D. 1929.

The following persons are said to claim an interest in, or lien upon, said property adverse to plaintiff: None.

Nov. 15, 1929-Jan. 17, 1930.

SELLS MOTOR BOATS BY RADIO

The sale of 100 Chris-Craft motor boats representing $500,000 was the result of a 16-minute trans-Atlantic telephone conversation. The conversation took place between the general sales manager of the Chris Smith & Sons Boat Co., Algonac, Mich., and a customer in London, England. Communication was established three minutes after the call was put in, and despite the 4,000 miles distance the entire conversation was carried on without difficulty.

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THE SKIPPER COMES ASHORE

By JAMES D. McCLURE
Released by National Automobile Club.

CHAPTER I—PART 18

For the first twenty-five miles or so after leaving Crescent City, the Redwood highway follows the banks of Smith river as it winds its way through a steep-walled gorge. In some places the sides of the canyon are cloaked in a dense growth of dark-hued pines and firs, separated from the river's edge by a broad ribbon of willows and closely matted underbrush. In other spots the walls are a sheer precipice of blue-gray rock from which innumerable springs send forth trickling streams to swell the mother river below.

Time after time we cross the river on beautiful concrete bridges—inspiring bits of architecture that blend perfectly with the surrounding scenery. At each crossing we are treated to either a view of tumbling waters, dashing their way seaward through serated masses of rock, or else we enjoy vistas of deep pools, willow bordered, tranquil and undisturbed—miniature lakes impounded behind natural dams of glistening blue-green schist. In spots the water is churned to a milky froth. At other points it may be a light blue, a dark blue, or a green of any one of a number of shades, ranging from jade to that of the forests along the banks. Yet again we pass pools of amber tint, some of so dense a shade as to border on black. All these variations in color are dependent upon the rock formation over which the crystal-clear waters pass, or upon the vegetable growth clinging to the river bed.

Smith river is followed until it finally diminishes to the status of a mountain brook. At this point our road begins its zigzag course along the mountain side in an endeavor to reach the summit with as little increase in the grade as possible.

The grade so far has been very gradual, considering the country through which it passes, and now, although the going is a bit steeper, the alignment has been worked out to provide a wonderful combination of safe curves and gradual ascents.

Our way leads through a stretch of truly beautiful forest or pines, firs, hemlocks, and a few small groves of redwoods. The trees are not as large as those found further to the south along the Redwood highway, but the northern growth is very dense and the timbered areas may be seen stretching for miles, over ridge after ridge, as we come to an occasional clearing that permits a distant view of the surrounding country.

One moment we are in the cool, damp shade of the deep woods, the next moment we are skirting the mountain side in the glare of the bright sun. The absence of ocean breezes, and the warmth of the sun's rays as they pass through the hazy atmosphere, brings about a sense of drowsiness which is only accentuated by the pungent odor of pine and fir.

Reaching the crest, we descend the eastern slopes through the continuing dense forests until we reach the California-Oregon state line. Here the road straightens out into long avenues cut through the solid ranks of timber. Several mountain streams are crossed, the larger ones being Rough and Ready and Sucker creeks. Just before reaching Kerby a road branches off to the right towards Oregon Caves, located some twenty miles from the highway and reached by good road.

In 1847 Elijah Davidson was a bit careless in his marksmanship, and, instead of fully dispatching a large bear, just wounded it enough to allow its escape into a cave on the mountain side. Hot in pursuit, Elijah soon found himself in a cavern of wonderous beauty. This, according to tradition, is the true story of the finding of the Oregon Caves. The caves are located high up on the side of Grayback mountain, some thirty-five hundred feet above sea level. Each year brings a greater number of motorists to enjoy the beauty displayed in those underground museums of nature-carved glistening marble statuary.

TWENTY-FOOT ROAD WIDTH A NECESSITY

Statistics gathered through tests and observations carried on through the Bureau of Public Roads discloses the fact that motorists require a minimum road width of twenty feet for assured safety, reports the National Automobile Club. Highway "sleuths," after marking off sections of pavement into one-foot squares, stood back and carefully observed the course of the right wheel of passenger cars and trucks as they speeded down a straight-of-way, rounded a curve or descended a grade.

These observations revealed the fact that the average motorist prefers to drive at a distance of about one and one-half to four feet from the outer edge of the road, preferring to pass closer to the car approaching than to draw near the edge of the pavement. Truck drivers drove a little closer to the edge, but always maintained at least a foot and one-half clearance. Through these observations it was determined that an 18-foot pavement, while wide enough for passenger cars, was too narrow for trucks. A 20-foot pavement is sufficient for trucks and is not excessive for passenger cars.

The higher the speed the nearer the average driver draws to the center of the road. On slight down grades, where speed was not reduced, fear of the edge pulled the cars toward the center of the pavement. On steep grades, where speed was reduced, cars maintained their position nearer the edge of the road.

In rounding curves, the tendency was for drivers to draw toward the center of the road, although this condition was not as pronounced with trucks as with the lighter cars. Such a condition shows the necessity of widening curves to allow an equal clearance between cars as would be observed on the straight-away.

Peanuts are used in making several kinds of wood stains.

WARNS THE CHILDREN AGAINST JAYWALKING

"Cross Only at Crosswalks" is the timely warning contained on the December traffic saftey poster lesson distributed to schools throughout Northern and Central California this month by the public safety department of the California State Automobile Association. Class rooms in local schools have been supplied with this poster, 12,500 copies of which have been issued by the motorists' organization to schools throughout its territory. Accompanying the poster is a summay of the warnings which should be stressed to children during the holiday season, when new toys incline youngsters to play in the streets. The summary of advice follows:

"Crossing a street at other than corners, or marked pedestrian lanes, is exceedingly dangerous; first, because the children crossing cannot see traffic as well as they can when crossing at the cross-walk. Secondly, the motorist does not expect to meet a pedestrian in the middle of the block, and is not prepared to stop as readily as he is at intersections. Thirdly, the child crossing in the middle of the block is hidden from the view of the driver who may be attempting to pass another car at this point, and, finally cars may legally travel at a greater speed between blocks than they do at intersections.

"Every school child should leave home early enough at all times so that, when crossing streets, he will not be forced to take chances in order to get to his class room on time. There is no question but that many children leave their homes at the last minute and that some of them are injured because they believe that haste, and resulting carelessness, are more important than caution with the possibility of being late.

"An intelligent child observes whether or not the way is clear before starting to cross the street. In crossing, he looks to the left, crosses to the center of the road, and then looks to the right. Decide when it is safe to cross and go ahead without hesitation. Never run. Walking, rather than running, in crossing the street is very important, for 90 per cent of the children killed on our streets lose their lives while running.

"When caught in the center of the street between two lines of traffic, stand perfectly still and let the cars pass until you have a safe chance to cross. Do not dodge back and forth; drivers will not know where to steer if you do not stand still.

"Look both ways before crossing the street. To stop takes only a second. To look requires no effort. Faithful observance of this simple precaution will save many a child from being hurt."

TELEPHONE A RETAIL BUSINESS

A recent issue of "Telephony" calls attention to the fact that, while most other great industries carry on a wholesale business with the public the telephone industry necessarily carries on a retail business.

There can be no such things as wholesale production and distribution of telephone service. Each call is an exclusive service, demanding personal contact, and the use of a circuit. Every customer must be served separately.

No matter how large the telephone industry may grow, or how extensive its equipment may become, its service must always be provided on a retail basis—an individual service, ready at any time for the use of any customer.

CHECK THE ITEMS THAT INTEREST YOU

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Cretonne Hat Bag

An article which fills a long-felt want makes its debut this season—the cretonne hat bag. It is as decorative as it is practical. One of its many winning points is that it is collapsible, and can be packed flat for travel. Of all Christmas suggestions this ornamental hat bag which can be hung in any closet is one of the most worthwhile ones on the list, for it is something which has been really needed. You can find them in various shops or where cretonne bags are sold.

Give Painted Crockery

Verily, in their Twentieth century beauty crusade, interior decorators spare not even the humblest object in the home—ordinary kitchen crockery no exception. Behold grandma's popular cookie jar and even the oft-sung "little brown jug," the more modern cracker jar, pitchers, too, with drinking mugs to match, likewise flower pots and other crockery items too numerous to mention, all "dolled up" with painted hollyhocks and other gay blooms, posing as Christmas gifts de luxe in various art shops throughout our land.

Pewter for Christmas

It's fashionable to give pewter this year. So jot down in your Christmas list a few apropos articles, such as a quaint candlestick, perhaps a vase, or a nut bowl, or if one gives generously, an entire coffee or tea service. There's no doubt about it—pewter is "it" for Christmas or wedding gifts.

Rose Powder Box

Well may it be said of the woman who uses this dainty flower powder box that "she has a rose-leaf complexion." Cunning idea, this of nestling a little round pasteboard powder box in the heart of a handmade crepe paper rose. A cluster of artificial flower stamens are pasted on the lid, which makes it easy to handle (see sketch). Lovely Christmas gift!

LAWS AND PUBLIC UTILITIES

By JOSEPH W. JAMISON, American Bar Association.

IF PUBLIC utilities of America, with combined investments totaling $5,000,000,000 and a daily need for $7,000,000 new capital, continue to function, neither congress nor any state legislature can dictate to them what their percentage of profits shall be. The economic aspect of this situation is controlling in importance. It is a direct and positive limitation upon the powers of congress or the states to fix the return which shall be earned by public utilities. The limitations upon the power of regulatory bodies to fix this rate remonstrates the wisdom of the policy of the states in the enactment of their commission laws.

But it is both possible and practicable to fix and approve the rates which will do justice to both the investor and the consumer. No congress, of course, could tell the utilities exactly what percentage they could earn on a given investment, as they could, of course, refuse to put their money into it. The only reasonable and just control that possibly could be exercised is that of fixing the rates themselves.

It does not require any elaborate procedure to enable the management of a public utility to determine whether a rate adjustment should be made or not. If, in the administration of the law, carriers are afforded a return which will place them on a parity with other comparative investments, then there will be no interference with the operation of the economic law which has been under discussion. On the other hand, if the operation of this law is so administered as to deny this parity to the investors in railroad or other securities, they will withdraw their investments and this will eventually compel the recognition of the economic law. The alternative would be restriction and deterioration in the railroad service entailing a loss to which the public would not submit.

RURAL SCHOOL PROBLEMS

By MISS HELEN HEFFERNAN, California Department of Education.

Gone forever are the dunce cap, the roller towel, the birch rod, the recitation bench, the tin dipper, and the common water bucket that once were indispensable adjuncts of the old-time little red schoolhouse. Today the little red schoolhouse itself is fast following them into oblivion. The magnitude of the rural school problem at the present time is not generally appreciated. When we speak of the country school, we mean 57 per cent of America's elementary school enrollment. When we speak of the country school teacher, we mean 64 per cent of the elementary teachers of the nation. And when we speak of the country school, we mean 91 per cent of the elementary schools.

In my state we are developing state rural demonstration schools to serve as standards for a better type of rural school. We are training teachers to take the general materials of education and shape them to the condition of the rural school.

The greatest function of the new teacher is to develop an environment—simple, natural and beautiful, in which there is an informal atmosphere of happy living. The new school is child-centered rather than teacher-centered. In the old school it was the teacher who was active, planning, inventing, organizing, talking. The reorientation of the school around the child naturally leads to the acceptance of the necessity for child interest and activity.

UNIVERSITIES FACE PROBLEM

By ROBERT MAYNARD HUTCHINS, President Chicago University.

More money for faculty members to make education respectable and to enable universities to compete with business for the nation's best minds is the greatest need of American higher education. The money is needed to strengthen three key point universities, to be pacemakers for all the others.

In the last twenty-five years the best minds of America have been drawn to business, hence American education faces a new problem in competition—competition with big business for the best men.

If you spread $100,000,000 over all the worthy colleges in the land you might increase each professor's salary as much as $1.34. You might as well throw the money in the lake. But spend it on the key institutions and you will develop pacemakers that will revitalize American education.

I would have the three key universities located one in the East, one in the Central West and one on the Pacific coast. The amounts which universities are spending on building projects and on their faculties are shockingly disproportionate. In the last ten years the University of Chicago has received $53,000,000 and only $7,000,000 went to a faculty composed of 772 men and women.

MARKED SPREAD OF ATHEISM

By REV. WILLIAM M. WOODFIN, Pittsburgh.

Eighty-five per cent of the resident students at the University of Pittsburgh and Carnegie Institute of Technology either do not attend church or attend only occasionally, because of insufficient home training, "heavy dates" on Saturday nights or the failure of ministers to reconcile religion with the science the students are taught. College men and women throughout the country are abandoning religion.

Why not let us say right out from the pulpit that the truth of religion can never conflict with the truth of science? If we pastors had the courage to run the risk of being called modernists by people whose thinking is in terms of medievalism, we might save many of our young people from mental torture, loss of faith and ultimate atheism.

EXPANSION NOT PROGRESS

By REV. GEORGE A. BUTTRICK, New York (Presbyterian).

The go-getter spirit of the modern American city and village mistakes industrial expansion for progress. I have particularly in mind those cities seeking populations of millions as their only goal and villages willing to see their landscapes disfigured by factory smoke stacks.

After the present fever of expansion has abated, the realization will come that this civilization is no more enduring than any other. The question will arise then whether skyscrapers and factories, railroads and airplanes are worth the price of a deviled soul and a shell-shocked spirit.

GENEROUS RECEPTION

Young Cohen had visited relatives in Berlin

Father—How did they treat you in Berlin?

Son—Fine. They invited me to lunch every day. One day Uncle Isaac said I must dine with Uncle Solomon and the next day Uncle Solomon said I was to dine with Uncle Isaac.

SPEAKING OF FIGURES

"Why do I see you walking so much lately, Fred?"

"I'm reducing."

"So you're reducing, eh? Tell me, what are you reducing?"

"Expenses."

Non-Combatants

They say Bill Shakespeare couldn't write
The plays that sound so rare.
And still the various critics fight—
And old Bill doesn't care.

Check

City Slicker—Is this milk from contented cows?

Farmer (thoughtfully)—Well, to tell the truth, they ain't seemed so contented lately.

"Hm, what do you suppose is annoying them?"

"Well, near's I kin make out, it's these dum fool questions people ask."

Modern Pests

"It's terrible the number of murders we read about these days," remarked the Thoughtful One.

"Huh!" growled the Grouch. "considering the number of people who leave the radio on while you are trying to carry on a conversation it is surprising there are not more."

Tonsors at Work

The business men were talking over their employees.

"Well, old Johnson has grown gray-haired in my service."

"Poob. I've got a girl with me who has grown yellow, brown and red-haired in my service."

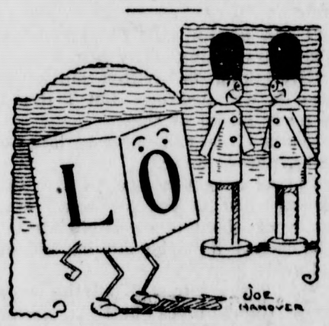
Probably Better Paying

"I hear Briefless is going to marry a millionaire's daughter."

"Will he give up the law business?"

"Oh, yes; he's going into the son-in-law business instead." — Stray Stories.

EXACTLY



First Wooden Soldier—He don't seem to be very intelligent.

Second Wooden Soldier—No, he's a regular blockhead!

Helpful Sex

She played the ukulele.
While I changed a tire
It didn't help me any—
It just aroused my ire.

Interpreting the Law

Wadren (to prisoner)—You say you want a key. What in thunder are you going to use it for?

Inmate—I want to sleep home at night—I was only sentenced to 30 days in jail.

An Old Grouch

"John, I saved $10 today."

"Where?"

"At a bargain sale."

"I thought so. The place to save money is a bank."

Class

"You made a bad break in alluding to that woman as an old hen."

"How so?"

"She must be somebody. I see she has been invited to lay a corner-stone."

Time Payment Plan

"Brown tells me he's got a house full of period furniture."

"That's quite right. He has it for a period—then the installment people come and fetch it away again."

For COLDS

We all catch colds and they can make us miserable; but yours needn't last long if you will do this: Take two or three tablets of Bayer Aspirin just as soon as possible after a cold starts. Stay in the house if you can—keep warm. Repeat with another tablet or two of Bayer Aspirin every three or four hours, if those symptoms of cold persist. Take a good laxative when you retire, and keep bowels open. If throat is sore, dissolve three tablets in a quarter-glassful of water and gargle. This soothes inflammation and reduces infection. There is nothing like Bayer Aspirin for a cold, or sore throat. And it relieves aches and pains almost instantly. The genuine tablets, marked Bayer, are absolutely harmless to the heart.

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Fooling Hummers

Ralph J. Ayer, a farmer near Colorado Springs, Colo., has succeeded in taming humming birds, even to the point where they will feed out of his hand and allow him to touch them, according to Miss Frances E. Haines, who reports the feat. Mr. Ayer tied bottles containing sugar sirup near the flowers the birds used and built little stands for them to rest upon. Later he moved the bottles to the windowsill, and then to his hand, but still the birds came. So eager were they to get the sirup that two pairs nested near the window last spring.—Nature Magazine.

Earned His Keep

"A beggar called and I gave him twopence and a plate of soup?"

"Did he eat the soup?"

"Yes."

"Then he earned the twopence."—Tidens Tegn.

The woman who has tact invariably knows what not to do.

Not Tired All Over

Six-year-old Jimmy, more than half asleep, stumbled his weary way home after a long, happy day at the state fair.

"Are you tired, Jimmy?" inquired his father as Jimmy's reluctant feet trudged slower and slower beside his own.

"No, father," answered Jimmy. "I'm not tired, but my legs are."

Use Russ Ball Blue in your laundry. Tiny rust spots may come from inferior Bluing. Ask Grocers.—Adv.

Unsympathetic

Agitated Gentleman—My wife and children are round the other side of the point, cut off by the tide, and I've swum all the way round.

Card Fiend—Oh? In that case, perhaps you'd like to make up a four at bridge.

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Per Capita Wealth

The commonly accepted impression that the United States leads the world in per capita wealth is corrected by a table issued by a Wall Street house, says Capper's Weekly. We stand in third place. Switzerland leads with a wealth per capita of $3,126, New Zealand follows with $3,029. The United States is third with $2,908. Other important countries are not far behind, Canada following this country with $2,779; Australia, $2,710, and Great Britain, $2,677. At the tail of the procession is Russia, whose wealth is estimated at but $215 to the head of population.

Wealth is saved capital, and statistics show that a people with little wealth may still be prosperous, even though the living costs are relatively high.

Stop the Pain.

The hurt of a burn or a cut stops when Cole's Carbolisalve is applied. It heals quickly without scars. 30c and 60c by all druggists, or send 30c to The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill.—Advertisement.

France Has Largest Library

The principal library of France and the largest library of the world is the Bibliotheque Nationale, Paris.

crude scents—as musk, myrrh, incense; the scent of flowers is seldom mentioned in their poetry or literature, which leads us to think that the subtlety of this last born of our senses is being evolved with civilization.

"Marble" Made of Sand

A building material that resembles marble is being made at New Orleans from river and lake sand.—Providence Journal.

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W. N. U., San Francisco, No. 49–1929.

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CALIFORNIA NEWS BRIEFS

It was learned recently that John T. Wright of Stockton has bought the holdings of the Calaveras Copper Company at San Andreas for $250,000 under a bond mortgage sale.

Resurrection of early days in the Mother Lode era were visional when gold-bearing gravel was discovered at the Masoni mine, near Angels Camp. John McKeon, wealthy oil operator and owner of the Masoni property, plans a recovery plant to mine the new gold.

Walter Bachrodt, San Jose school superintendent, regards the figure of $297,601, offered for the purchase of San Jose High School property by the State College, as too low. Bachrodt declares it would take $800,000 to replace the buildings.

Orange County believes it offers various groups training for the 1932 Olympic Games to be held in Los Angeles the best place in California in which to become acclimated, so it is sending a representative to them in Europe to advocate their finishing training there.

The state of Michigan is interested in the California contractors' law. James F. Collins, director of the department of professional and vocational standards and registrar of contractors, has just received a request from the Greater Detroit Builders' Association for information on the California law.

Residents of Pismo Beach, twelve miles south of San Luis Obispo, have filed a petition with the county Board of Supervisors, asking that an election be held for the purpose of incorporating as a city of the sixth class. The argument on the petition will be heard by the supervisors at their meeting early in December.

The morale in the state convict labor camp near Kings River Canyon, northeast of Visalia, is excellent, according to Court Smith, warden of Folsom penitentiary, who paid an official visit to the work recently. The workmen are building a highway into the famous Kings River Canyon region of the High Sierras, a three-year job.

The Sacramento tourist and convention bureau estimates through the twenty-three conventions already slated for the capital city during 1930 approximately 52,000 visitors will be entertained. The largest conclaves are the California department of the American Legion, with 20,000 delegates, and the Ancient Order of Sciots, with 8000.

There are 36,000 children of school age in California who have no permanent residence and who must be educated by migratory schools, according to Miss Frances Averell, director of Americanization of Fresno County schools. The majority of the children are Mexican, but most of them are able to speak the English language by the time they reach the age of 9.

The great sulphur deposit located fifteen miles northwest of Healdsburg is to be mined, with steam from the geysers as the source of power. It has been estimated that over a million tons of ore, running 80 per cent sulphur, is exposed on the surface and can be mined at a cost not to exceed $3.50 a ton. Capitalists developing the projecct have organized as the Geysers Development Company and are expecting to begin operation soon.

A state organization of medical superintendents and directors of county tubercosis sanitariums was organized at a recent meeting at Fresno, with a charter enrollment of eleven. Officers elected were: Dr. Everett Morris, superintendent of the Fresno County Tubercular Sanitarium, president; Dr. E. A. Schaper, Stonybrook Retreat, vice president, and Dr. T. C. O'Connor, Bret Hart Sanitarium at Murphy, secretary-treasurer.

Formation of an irrigation district covering 137,000 acres in Butte and Sutter counties is a step nearer completion following a meeting in Gridley. A committee of twenty-five was appointed to make preliminary arrangements for the organization. The district is now served by the Sutter-Butte Canal Company. If formed, the district will be known as the Feather Irrigation District.

Further improvement of the coast highway by two construction projects and construction of an underpass at Coyote Wells, San Diego County, were in prospect as the Department of Public Works announced low bidders on state road work. Griffith Company, Los Angeles, with a price of $38,288.50 was lowest for grading and paving 2.3 miles between Conejo Creek and Camarillo, Ventura County, while Cornwall Construction Company, Santa Barbara, offered to widen 5.5 miles between Eagle and El Capitan creeks, Santa Barbara County, for $17,483.70. The Coyote Wells underpass work brought a low bid of $14,659 from De Waard & Son, San Diego.

Half a hundred California building and loan association branches recently learned they were in wrong. Given permits before the 1929 legislative amendments covering their activities were made effective, parent associations are being billed $50 each for annual license fees due under the law, and informed that $25,000 additional guarantee capital stock must be issued for each branch formed. The ruling was made by Building and Loan Commissioner Charles A. Whitmore, conforming to an interpretation of new laws by Attorney General U. S. Webb.

New buildings and alterations in San Anselmo totaled $12,450 during October, according to Building Inspector Charles H. Cartwright.

The Flournoy school district, near Red Bluff, claims to have the youngest grammar school principal in California in Miss Marguerite Oerke, 18, of Corning. Miss Oerke graduated from the Chico State Teachers' College.

H. H. Henning, contractor, has been awarded the contract for the construction of a second unit at the Stanislaus County Hospital. His bid was $71,472, the lowest of ten bids submitted.

Application of a large Eastern tire company to erect a one-story brick building in Modesto to be used as a service station and automobile accessory shop had been filed with the city clerk. The building will cost $7500.

Purchase of equipment for making street repairs was authorized by the El Cerrito city council. Repairs have been made under contract in the past. The El Cerrito council also asked for bids on a light coupe to be used by traffic officers.

An old army post on the San Joaquin River near Friant was suggested as a site for a proposed federal prison to be built on the Pacific Coast, in a letter by Samuel F. Hollins, United States commissioner, to Congressman H. E. Barbour.

On recommendation of its foreign trade committee, the Oakland Chamber of Commerce has indorsed the plan of the Sacramento Region Citizens' Council to hold a Pan-American trade convention in Sacramento during the State Fair week of next year.

This is the driest fall in the memory of the oldest residents of the Lake Tahoe district. The lake is now a foot and a half below the low level of last year. Not a flake of snow or a drop of rain fell during the month of October, an almost unheard of phenomenon.

Texas Bar, a roaring gold town of '49 when it boasted several hundred inhabitants, will be submerged under the waters of the Calaveras flood control dam, but the dead in the cemetery will be removed. The city council of Stockton has agreed to pay Coroner Gardella of Calaveras County $880 to remove the twenty-five bodies. The coroner will communicate with relatives of the persons buried at Texas Bar.

Sonoma county expects to launch a campaign during the winter and spring for better fire protection throughout the county. The cutting of wider fire trails is being urged, and it is pointed out that not only can property be protected against the flames in the dry hot season, but the work will give employment to many men during the winter. The Bohemian Club of San Francisco will be one of the first to have more fire trails cut about the area adjoining its redwood grove on the Russian River.

Destruction of the weir in the Kaweah River east of Visalia belonging to the Wutchumna Water Company was viewed by some persons at Visalia as another incident in the bitter water fight between Kaweah delta water users and the Lindsay-Strathmore Irrigation district. The Wutchumna Company was fighting to keep the Lindsay district from taking water from the Kaweah delta. Warrants of arrest for . E. Fenwick and Timothy Steinbaugh, ranchers near the weir, have been asked.

Contracts approximating $125,000 for early completion of the library and science building of the new San Diego State Teachers' College have been awarded by the stat division of agriculture. General work will be done by Pettiser-Hunt Company, East San Diego, for $182,930. Heating, plumbing and ventilating will be installed by the Pemberton Heating and Ventilating Company of Los Angeles for $33,500, while the American Electric Construction Company of Los Angeles will make electrical installations for $13,608.

Closing of a contract for the delivery of more than $400,000 worth of seaplanes and amphibians to a Long Beach, California, corporation, has been announced by American Aeronautical Corporation, subsidiary of Allied Motor Industries Inc. The Long Beach company is declared to have distributing rights in the states of California, Washington and Oregon. These rights will be subject only to a dealership contract now existent with the Northwest Air Service of Seattle, Washington.

Two big brown bears will not hibernate this winter near Angels Camp. Frank Lyons and Steve Shelton, hunting bears near Angels Camp, killed one of the largest brown bears. The animal weighed 263 pounds. Lyons, stepping from his auto and walking only a few feet, encountered the bear. One shot did the work. John Barnesconi, state trooper, while inspecting his traps saw bear tracks near Angels Camp. Summoning his bear dog, "Stumpy Doogan," the bear was traced and Barnesconi with a small revolver killed the other with the first shot through the head. It weighed 165 pounds.

A complaint was on file in the Superior Court at San Rafael by Charles Wright, William Deysher, Thomas Kent and F. W. Wolfe against the town of Corte Madera, asking that an injunction be placed against the town council to stop it from excluding property belonging to the plaintiffs from the incorporated limits. Judge Edward I. Butler granted a temporary injunction. The plaintiffs declared they were assessed under an ordinance of 1911 for street improvements and were still paying assessments and hence could not be excluded from the town limits.

DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

by Mary Graham Bonner

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SANTA'S CHUCKLES

Santa Claus was chuckling to himself. He pulled his long white beard and looked about his workshop.

Everything was there. Dolls—oh, such dolls! They could walk and cry.

They could speak and they could close and open their eyes.

Some looked as though they were just made for hugging. And such lovely hair as some of them had.

There were trains of cars and great ships and airplanes and automobile trucks.

Santa Claus looked all about him.

Yes, there was every kind of a toy that could be imagined. And there were such nice woolly animals.

The white lambs were especially lovely this year, but still, Santa Claus decided, the dolls and fire engines and trains of cars were about the best, too, in the whole shop!

Great smiles spread over his face, for he thought how he would put these things around Christmas trees and into hanging stockings.

What a good time he would have! Ah, how lucky he was! How he did chuckle as he thought of Christmas eve which would soon be here.

And he laughed aloud until the reindeer once more sent their special call asking if he was almost ready, and Santa told them that he would be ready for them very, very, very soon now.

Again Santa Claus walked and looked about his shop. What fine story books there were, too, and picture books and what lovely decorations he had all ready.

Then there were candy animals, beautiful candy animals, and they looked so sweet that Santa knew how they would be enjoyed!

"Now I must take another look at the last letters that have come," said Santa Claus.

He opened the day's mail. And such a mail as it was! From hundreds and thousands of fireplaces he had

What a Good Time He Would Have

taken these letters the night before, and from other places where children had told him they would put their letters.

Down he went through their lists—looked over his toy shop, arranged everything.

"I think the children will have a pretty good Christmas this year," he said, and he chuckled again.

His reddish round face was all smiles!

"Well, if they can hardly wait themselves I feel just as they do," he said.

"I can hardly wait to get started. I have everything ready now.

"Everything is written on, everything is wrapped up. But I like to be ready ahead of time.

"Santa Claus can never be late—oh never, never, never."

And as he sat before his fire that evening—just before he would start out to see about other letters for him—he looked into the glowing embers and said:

"Of all the things in all the world Santa Claus loves best is getting ready for Christmas and the wonderful, wonderful children there are all over the world!"

Elephant's Kind Deed

The entire population of the little town of Ljusdal, in northern Sweden, was out in the streets enjoying the unusual and impressive sight of a circus parading the main street with flying banners and gay music.

Suddenly there was a cry of fear in the crowd, for in the middle of the road, quite alone and seemingly paralyzed with fright, was a five-year-old boy in danger of being crushed by the elephant heading the parade. The little one was almost under the feet of the elephant, and everybody expected a catastrophe. Then at the last moment, the huge animal tenderly seized the child with his trunk, lifted him out of the way of the procession and deposited him gently by the side of the street.

The crowd cheered with delight, and the elephant went calmly on his way, evidently unconscious of the great popularity he had won in Ljusdal.

Tongue Twisters

Thirteen thrifty tailors thinking thirteen thrifty thoughts.

Graceful Gertie Grey is growing green grapes.

Five fine flying fish flying fifty-five feet.

Edgar Edwards eagerly eating eggs; eagles eyeing Edgar.

STAGG AS COACH LEADS THEM ALL

President Hutchins Lauds Mentor at Banquet.

Plans for a $600,000 fieldhouse for basket ball, track, and other sports were outlined by President Hutchins of the University of Chicago at a dinner held in honor of Coach Stagg and the Maroons.

Doctor Hutchins said the board of trustees had approved the measure at its last meeting and construction could begin in the near future. It is understood that the building will be erected on University avenue between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth streets.

The president went on to voice his views on the Maroon football situation.

"We have the greatest coach the country has ever seen," he said. "We have had our share of victories and will have them again. But football is not the most important aspect of education. Victories are still less important. The thing that counts is to have undergraduates and graduates of whom the university will be proud and who will be proud of the university."

Stagg was introduced as the All-American coach of all time.

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University of Southern California is angling for a home-and-home game football arrangement with a Big Ten, supposedly Iowa or Northwestern, according to information leaking from the athletic offices at the local school. The Trojans want to play on a Big Ten field in 1930 and have its Big Ten rival return the visit to Los Angeles in 1931. Such an arrangement would balance Coach Howard Jones' football arrangements which call for Notre Dame at Los Angeles next Autumn and a visit to South Bend or Chicago in 1931.

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Avery Brundage, president of the A. A. U., in his report before the organization at St. Louis, urged the employment of a press agent. The A. A. U. in recent years hasn't been put before the public in a favorable light and Brundage thinks the services of such a fellow might make a difference.

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Primo Carnera, 283-pound Italian heavyweight, towering 6 feet 10 inches, was awarded the decision over Young Stribling of Atlanta, Ga., on a foul in the fourth round of their scheduled ten-round bout in Albert hall, London. The crowd, which included the prince of Wales and Earl Beatty, did not think much of the decision.

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Gabby Hartnett's invaluable throwing arm is about to receive further attention. Between bench warming and occasional visits to doctors and bone stretchers last season, Gabby contributed nothing more than his presence to the pennant winning achievement of the Cubs. His efforts to recover his former skill were more half hearted than otherwise. Now the club is going to take charge of him and there is not going to be any dallying.

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For several years Los Angeles led in the size of the purse offered visiting brassie swingers, with $10,000. This year Agua Caliente, the new resort across the Mexican border, has set a record with a $25,000 prize. Miami Beach also passed the Los Angeles offer with $15,000 for the La Gorce tournament. Los Angeles, however, has two sizeable purses, the $10,000 open and the professional golfers' championship, with total prizes of $10,400.

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The secretaries of war and the navy would be directed to prohibit West Point and Annapolis from engaging in any athletic contests with other schools until they restored friendly relations under a bill introduced by Representative Edwards, Democrat, Georgia.

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If you have a dead sport on your hands you might give it to Los Angeles. That city of the Golden West supports all kind of athletic amusements.

Figures show that Los Angeles folks, to the number of 805,968, saw professional baseball games the past season. The city has two teams, Hollywood also playing there.

More than 60,000 persons saw a track meet there last spring.

It outdraws any city of its size in the country in yearly football attendances.

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As the Southern California squad was bowling across the continent toward Chicago for the big game with Notre Dame at Soldier field a stranger stepped up to Coach Howard Jones of the Trojans on the train and said: "I have a thousand dollars to bet on this game. How shall I bet it?"

"I don't know," Jones told him, "and if I did I wouldn't tell you. For me to say who should win would be foolish."

Jones then went on to tell about the season of 1916, when Illinois upset Minnesota's greatest team of all time 14 to 9, only to be the victim in turn of another tremendous upset when Chicago whaled the Illini 20 to 7, and the Gophers then capped it off by walloping the Maroons 49 to 0, proving that football is too uncertain for a man to be advising another man how to risk a thousand dollars.

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A British writer explaining baseball to his readers says: "The big hitters appear when the bases are well filled, and the chance is offered to drive in several runs with a great hit." Uh huh. Now we'll explain cricket.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

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"The man who is ever seeking to do his best, is the one who is keen, active, wide awake and aggressive. He is ever watchful of himself in trifles. His standard is not 'What will the world say?' but 'What is worthy of me?'"

WINTER DAINTIES

During the winter when the citrus fruits are the most plentiful and cheapest, is the time to preserve, candy and dry them for use in various ways.

Sections of orange are glaced in a heavy fruit sirup, making a most attractive and delightful teatable attraction.

Candied Orange Peel.—Cover the peel of four oranges with two quarts of water, bring slowly to the boiling point and simmer until the peel is tender. Drain and let stand until cool, then remove all the inner white skin and cut the peel into strips. Boil two cupfuls of sugar with one-half cupful of water until it spins a thread. Put in part of the peel and boil for five minutes: remove with a fork and roll in granulated sugar. Grapefruit or lemon may be treated in the same way. A mixture of the three, tinting with green, yellow or pink, any one or all of them, makes a very attractive confection to serve with a cup of tea.

Candied Cranberries.—Boil two cupfuls of sugar with three-fourths cupful of water slowly for five minutes. Wash and dry two cupfuls of large hard cranberries, pierce each with a large needle, then spread the berries in a single layer in a granite pan. Pour over the sirup and set them into a moderate oven until they are almost transparent. Remove and dust with sugar if desired. These are nice to use as a garnish or in candy boxes. They may take the place of the candied cherries.

Fruit and Nut Paste.—Put through the food chopper two cupfuls of dates, after stoning them. Mix with one cupful of peanut butter and one teaspoonful of salt. Take spoonfuls of the mixture and form into small apples. Place a clove for the blossom end and a bit of orange peel for a stem.

Filling for a Layer Cake.—Boil two cupfuls of sugar until it threads, then pour slowly over three stiffly-beaten egg whites; add one-half cupful of citron finely shredded, one cupful of raisins, one-half cupful of dates or figs, and one pound of blanched and chopped almonds. Spread between the layers of any delicate white cake.

Baked Bananas.—Cook one-half cupful of seedless raisins in one and one-half cupful of boiling water for half an hour, thicken with flour and butter cooked together, add a tablespoonful of lemon juice and pour over the baked bananas. A grating of lemon peel is an addition, or a bit of vanilla.

Things Worth Consideration.

A writer in the Journal of Home Economics points out the responsibility and the example of the American housewife in relation to her foreign neighbor, which perhaps has never occurred to her.

"The simple house furnishings, the spotless window curtains and the well laundered clothing, the careful ventilation and the well ordered household activities of the American housewife serve as a guide in helping the foreign housewife to adapt her methods of living to those of her foster homeland."

The foreign housewife, though unable to understand our language, is very clever at picking up ideas. The influence of a good housekeeper extends beyond the intimate circle of her family, friends and neighbors and her servants. It has been potent in the Americanization of immigrants coming from lands where cleanliness as well as other important standards are not as high as our own.

This influence makes itself felt in a less direct, but none the less real, way on the commodities that all women purchase.

"Women as consumers purchase health or lack of it for the members of their immediate households. Indirectly through their demand for clean wholesome food and clothing products, they create a supply of commodities which are available for the less intelligent homemaker, who, because of lack of knowledge, is indifferent to the scope of variation in purchaseable products."

In keeping her own household healthy and happy, the good housekeeper sets standards for others who have not yet learned to manage their households so efficiently. When she buys such tools as brushes, soaps and cleaners for the niceties of good housekeeping and when she insists upon wholesome food, and clothing made of guaranteed materials, she is helping to keep those standards high.

Some like a coat of wax applied to a varnished surface. Rub it well, let it dry thoroughly, then polish with a weighted brush, or electric polisher.

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When the prisoner came around, he tried to rise from the ground, and was then informed that the sentence would not be carried out. This information did not seem to impress him greatly, as he began to fumble about in his pockets, evidently looking for something that he missed. Suddenly he fished from out his ragged receptacle some bits of wood, at which he gazed with rueful eyes. Then he said:

"Ek het goed seweet dat iets verkeert was. Met al julle neukerij het julle my ou pijq gerbreek!" (I well knew there was something wrong. With all your nonsense you people have broken my old pipe!)

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"Chromadyne" New Power

Discovery has been made at Wellington, New Zealand, of a new force, given the name of "chromadyne," which is claimed to be ten times more powerful than electricity.—Providence Journal.

From Youth to Age

There are three trying periods in a woman's life: when the girl matures to womanhood, when a woman gives birth to her first child, when a woman reaches middle age. At these times Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helps to restore normal health and vigor.

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Seek Power Substitutes

French scientists, looking to the time when natural supplies of coal and oil will be exhausted, are making experiments with five substitutes to furnish power for mankind.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

The Dear Creatures

Mrs. Sweetland—They said my dress was a symphony.

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Nobody Wants To

"He has an infectious laugh."

"Well, you can't quarantine a fellow for that."

Millions now use Russ Ball Blue. Makes clothes snowy white. Get the genuine.—Adv.

If one was in no hurry to enter this world why should he be in a hurry while he is in it?

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BETTER THAN A MUSTARD PLASTER
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JAY'S CONVENTION

Jay's convention month, December, is ushered in with the hustle and bustle of crowded streets. In every city in the state, Jay's are turning out in great numbers. According to a bulletin issued by the California State Chamber of Commerce, there are more Jay-walkers killed during the month of December than in any other period during the year. Christmas shopping is given as the principal reason for the number of citizens carelessly disregarding traffic rules that endanger the lives of themselves and drivers of automobiles. During the nineteen days between now and Christmas, statistics show that more than 100 citizens of California will be killed as a result of traffic accidents, and of the 100, thirty-five will be pedestrians.

The "Save a Life as a Christmas Present to California Campaign," which the Safety Conference of the State Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring throughout the state, centers its efforts during December to the Jay-walker. Everyone, according to the bulletin, is asked to assist in this campaign under the slogan, "Why Be a Jay?" The bulletin continues: "An average month's statistics relative to accidents to pedestrians in California, compiled by the State Motor Vehicle department, are as follows:

Pedestrian	Total	Fatal
1. Waiting for and getting on or off car	32	4
2. Getting on or off other vehicle	6	..
3. Crossing intersection with signal	10	..
4. Crossing intersection against signal	31	2
5. Crossing intersection no signal	175	8
6. Crossing intersection diagonally	6	..
7. Standing in safety zone	2	..
8. In steet not at intersection	155	16
9. Children playing in street	45	..
10. At work on car or in roadway	14	4
11. Riding or hitching on vehicle	11	2
12. Not on roadway	7	1
13. Coming from behind parked car	79	4
14. Walking on rural highway	15	8
15. Not stated	21	9
Totals	609	58
Condition of Pedestrians		
1. Was intoxicated	14	1
2. Had physical defect	5	..
3. Was confused by traffic	58	4
4. View obstructed	85	5
5. Apparently normal	436	41
6. Not stated	11	7
Totals	609	58

Everyone is asked to watch their step, and at least save their own life as a Christmas present for California.

MRS. FRED SWEHLA,
Safety Chairman.

William, Robert and Henry Aldinger, triplet son of a New York fireman, recently celebrated their fifth birthday with a party given by children of a hospital where they were born.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEES' SALE

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that default having been made in the payment of the promissory note and sums secured by that certain deed of trust executed by CHARLES GUST and ANASTASSIA GUST, his wife, to GEO. M. MITCHELL and J. DIMMER, as trustees for the benefit of HOME MUTUAL DEPOSIT-LOAN COMPANY, a corporation, as beneficiary, dated September 19, 1927, and recorded September 26, 1927, in Volume 322 of Official Records, page 128, et seq., in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California;

And notice of such default and of the election of said beneficiary to cause the property described in said deed of trust to be sold to satisfy the obligations secured by said deed of trust, having been recorded by said beneficiary, the owner and holder of the obligations and indebtedness secured thereby, on the 22nd day of August, 1929, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, in Volume 428 of Official Records, page 428;

And demand having been made upon the undersigned, as trustees under said deed of trust, by said beneficiary, that said undersigned sell the premises by said deed of trust conveyed and hereinafter described as in said deed of trust provided;

NOW THEREFORE, in accordance with the terms and conditions and under the authority of said deed of trust, and in pursuance of a resolution passed and adopted on the 20th day of August, 1929, by the Board of Directors of said HOME MUTUAL DEPOSIT-LOAN COMPANY, the owner and holder of the promissory note hereinbefore referred to, declaring that default in the payment of the principal and interest on said promissory note has been made and requesting and directing the undersigned as trustees under the power and authority conferred upon said trustees by said deed of trust, and in pursuance of said resolution, to sell said real property described in said deed of trust and hereinafter particularly described, to satisfy said indebtedness, the undersigned, GEO. M. MITCHELL and J. DIMMER hereby give notice that on **Monday, the 23rd day of December, 1929,** at the hour of 10:30 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the main entrance of the City Hall, of the City of Daly City, County of San Mateo, State of California, No. 51 Wellington Avenue, in the City of Daly City, County of San Mateo, State of California, they will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in gold coin of the United States, all that certain real property, with improvements thereon, situate, lying and being in the City of Daly City, County of San Mateo, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

COMMENCING at the point of intersection of the Northeasterly line of Bepler Street with the Southeasterly line of Rhine Street; running thence Northeasterly along said line of Rhine Street 25 feet; thence at right angles and parallel with the Northeast line of Bepler Street, Southeasterly 50 feet; thence at right angles and parallel with the Southeasterly line of Rhine Street Southwesterly 25 feet; thence at right angles Northwesterly along said line of Bepler Street 50 feet to the point of beginning.

BEING a portion of Lot numbered eight (8) in Block "T" as shown on that certain map entitled "Map showing Subdivision of the property of the Mission St. Land Co. situated in San Francisco and San Mateo Cos. Cal.", filed in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County July 31, 1895, in Book "E" of Original Maps at page 73 and copied into Book 2 of Maps at page 73.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash, ten (10%) per cent payable to the undersigned at the fall of the hammer, balance upon delivery of deed, and if not so paid, the said ten (10%) per cent to be forfeited and the sale to be void.

DATED: November 25, 1929.

GEO. M. MITCHELL,
Trustee.

J. DIMMER,
Trustee.

Milo R. Robbins, Attorney for Trustees,
686 Mills Building, San Francisco, Cal.
Nov. 29; Dec. 6, 13, 20, 1929.

P. G. & E. TO SPEND AN IMMENSE SUM ON CONSTRUCTION

The Pacific Gas and Electric Company will spend $35,000,000 during 1930 on construction of new gas and electric projects, and normal extensions and improvements throughout the system will bring the year's building budget up to the record sum of $40,000,000. A. F. Hockenbeamer, president of the company, made this announcement as a two-fold pledge—a promise to President Hoover of cooperation in the nation-wide movement for continued business progress and a guarantee to Northern and Central California to keep pace with the growing industry and to be prepared to serve now enterprises and to attract new homemakers.

The bulk of this huge sum will be expended in California. "All possible purchases of equipment, materials and supplies," said Hockenbeamer, "will be made here. We will not go outside the state except for machinery that we cannot buy within its borders. The wages that the company will pay out in 1930 will exceed the total for 1929, which was $18,394,008 for all purposes. All of this, of course, was spent in California."

Twelve million dollars of the P. G. and E. budget will be used to complete the natural gas system. Construction crews are already working at top speed on a second network of pipelines from the Kettleman Hills that will serve the communities of San Joaquin and Sacramento Valleys and the Redwood Empire. This line will be completed early next spring and will be linked up with the system that now serves Fresno, Salinas, Monterey, San Jose and San Mateo county, and industries in San Francisco and Oakland. The company then will have more than 750 miles of natural gas pipe-lines, representing a total investment of $27,500,000, and serving 471,000 of its 485,000 consumers. San Francisco and the East Bay cities will be furnished with straight natural gas when the new pipe-line in completed. With two pipe-lines there will be a double source of supply and no danger of interruption of service.

Apart from the natural gas project, the company will spend $3,000,000 on additions to its present gas system—on new holders, on 200 or more miles of new mains, and on new equipment for its various plants.

One hydro-electric job alone—the Mokelumne River development—will require $16,000,000 during the year to carry out the schedule that calls for its completion in 1931. The generating units of the project—there will be four power houses—will add 228,000 horsepower to the electricity available to P. G. and E. consumers.

Salt Springs dam, the keystone of the development, will be brought close to completion by an expenditure of $4,000,000. About $4,500,000 already has been spent on the structure and half a million more will be needed for the finishing touches in 1931.

Tiger Creek power house, one of the generating units, will require about $3,500,000 during the twelve month. Its final cost, including the forebay, will be $4,520,000 and its capacity will be 80,000 horsepower. A 20-mile concrete canal from the dam to this plant will cost $4,460,000, of which $3,500,000 will be spent in 1930.

This year's work on the construction of the Mokelumne-Newark transmission line, a $4,260,000 job, will take $3,000,000 and an additional sum of $1,786,000 will be spent enlarging the Newark substation to handle the additional load of electricity. Telephone lines connecting the various units of the Mokelumne development will cost close to $50,000.

Four million dollars will be expended on the reconstruction of Station "A," the steam electric generating plant in San Francisco. This item is only a part of a five year program of rebuilding the station and raising its capacity to 300,000 horsepower by the installation of four giant turbines. One of the units will be ready for service during the coming fall and the second six months later. The entire cost of the reconstruction will be $11,000,000.

The task of enlarging the Bear River and Wise canals, in Placer county, to increase the generating capacity of Halsey and Wise powerhouses, near Auburn, will take more than $600,000, and building or reconstructing dams at various parts of the system will cost several hundred thousand dollars more.

Besides these major projects, there will be a long list of building jobs in all parts of the company's territory—new substations, new transmission and distribution lines, additions to plants and a re-equipment of others, all of which will run into several million dollars.

The outstanding item on the budget for new buildings is the San Francisco service group, which will cost a million dollars. The building will occupy the block bounded by Folsom, Shotwell, Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, and will include a 300-car garage, shops and warehouses. The list also includes new offices at San Rafael, and reconstruction of the offices at Sacramento, Chico, and Martinez, and new service groups at Santa Rosa and Placerville.

"The company," said Hockenbeamer, "has faith in the future. Business as we see it will be as good in 1930 as it has been in 1929. We are building to take care of that business, and to keep up with the growth of California and the country generally."

"GOLD DIGGERS" IN THIRD MONTH AT THE EMBASSY

The Embassy Theatre is giving some consideration to the possibility of erecting a permanent sign reading "Gold Diggers of Broadway." This attraction is now in its third month at Wm. B. Wagnon's upper Market street house, and is still drawing the crowds.

"Gold Diggers of Broadway" is the second all-natural color musical extravaganza to be offered by Warner Bros., and it is one of the finest pieces of entertainment ever shown on any screen. It embodies everything that any theatregoer could wish for—songs, comedy, romance, dances, beauty, pathos—all further enhanced by being shown entirely in natural colors.

TELEPHONE CONSTRUCTION TO COST OVER 65 MILLION

New telephone construction of the Pacific Coast in 1930 will cost nearly $7,500 an hour, or a total of over 65 million dollars, compared with nearly $7,000 an hour in 1929.

This increase, says H. D. Pillsbury, of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company, is the company's answer to President Hoover's prosperity budget plan.

Both the 1930 expenditures and the plant expenditure of 333 million dollars in the next five years break all records for new telephone construction and parallel Pacific growth.

The company's new long distance net-work on the Pacific Coast will cost 100 million dollars in the next five years and will increase wire capacity 2,000 per cent.

Over 120 million dollars will be put into land and new buildings.

"MISTER ANTONIO" NOW AT THE MARION DAVIES

That delightful characteristic that is known as "personality" which made Leo Carillo an idol of the stage is also establishing him as a "Big Seen and Heard Man from Screenland." His first talking picture, "Mister Antonio" is now in its second week at the Davies Theatre, San Francisco.

"Mister Antonio" is the story of a vagabond "hurdy-gurdy" man, whose chief delight is in doing good—in spreading sunshine. His philanthropical efforts lead him in and out of jail and finally into the heart of a girl he befriends.

"Mister Antonio" is a delightful story, well presented—in fact, it was written by Booth Tarkington. If you like romance, tender humor and adventure, then you'll thoroughly enjoy "Mister Antonio" at the Davies.

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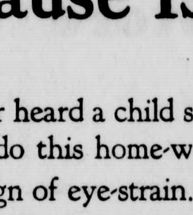
Would you like to know about proper home lighting? The P. G and E's lighting specialists will gladly advise you.

A booklet on correct home lighting

As a tribute to Thomas Alva Edison, inventor of the electric lamp, we have prepared a booklet called "The Romantic Evolution of Light," which has 27 beautiful full-page pictures, 8 by 11 inches. The pictures show the ancient people, in their quaint dress, using the lamps of Babylonia, of Rome, and lamps that were handed down through the dark ages. The booklet traces the development of today's lighting and shows the revolutionary discoveries, during the last few years, of correct home lighting.



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DALY CITY

NEWS NOTES OF PERSONAL INTEREST

The monthly tea of La Fiesta Club will be held next Saturday afternoon at the Fairmont Hotel.

Mrs. Ethel Bolger, of Risel street, has been on the sick list and confined to her bed for the past week, suffering from a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Mendelson and sons, of Los Olivos avenue, and Miss Edith Alexander attended the wedding of friends in San Francisco last Sunday.

The friends of N. Meeth, of Westlake avenue, are glad to hear he is now on the road to recovery after being seriously ill for the past two weeks.

Sally Watson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Watson, of Evergreen avenue, has been on the sick list for the past week and confined to her bed, suffering from a severe cold.

The Crocker P. T. A. has postponed their whist party that was to have been held in December. The next whist will be given in January, the date to be announced later.

Miss Georgina Cockburn, of Otorohanga, New Zealand, is visiting at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bennett. She intends making her home here for some time.

Jade Johnson, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of Peoria street, returned home last Saturday from St. Luke's hospital, where he was confined for over a week, suffering from an attack of bronchitis.

Mrs. Iverson, of Petaluma, is a house guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. Jones, of Vista Grande avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Canine, of San Francisco, were luncheon guest last Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Canine, of 164 Woodrow street.

Little Marie Reardon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Reardon, of Rice street, has been on the sick list the past week, suffering from an attack of tonsilitis.

Miss Georgina Bennett celebrated her seventeenth birthday with a Thanksgiving dinner at the home of her parents, a number of friends being present.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Frick, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Connor, and Miss Tessie O'Connor, with a party of friends, attended the Stanford-U. C. game at Stanford stadium.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Darragh, of San Diego avenue, entertained at dinner on Thanksgiving day, having as their guests Mr. and Mrs. F. Rothwell, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Eagleton and son Junior, and Jack, George and Jean Darragh.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Linden and daughters Barbara and Gloria, of Pacific Grove, former residents of Hillcrest Drive, were house guests over the Thanksgiving holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Cavagnaro, of Goethe street, returning to their home last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hill, of Ripon, California, and Mrs. M. Chase were dinner guests on Thanksgiving day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Bryant, of San Diego avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Le Roy Johnson and family, and Mr. Thomas Lowe were dinner guests on Thanksgiving day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Shaw, of Shakespeare street.

A. Rickmann, of San Diego avenue, and A. M. Harrison, of Woodrow street, motored to Bettencourt's ranch at Irish Ridge last Sunday, where they spent the day quail hunting.

Mrs. N. Meeth, of Westlake avenue, entertained a group of friends at luncheon last Wednesday at her home, among her guests being Mrs. E. O'Brien, Mrs. N. O'Brien and Mrs. Strange.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wall were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Day, formerly of Daly City, at their beautiful home in Oakland. The Days have recently purchased a new Essex car.

Mrs. E. Hart, of Los Banos avenue, was hostess to the Joker Club last Wednesday. A delightful afternoon was spent playing whist, after which dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hanson, of San Diego avenue, entertained at dinner, on Thanksgivinig day, Mr. and Mrs. F. Hanson and family, Mrs. E. Barger and daughter Jeanette, and Mrs. J. Almquist.

Harold White, of Theta avenue, received a severe laceration over his left eye last Sunday while playing football with the team from Castro Parlor, Native Sons, in their game at Bayview with the Bayview team.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Ray, formerly of Vendome avenue, have moved into their lovely new home in San Francisco, which has just been completed. Their many friends are sorry to see them go, but wish them much happiness in their new home.

The following notices of intention to marry were filed in San Francisco last Tuesday: Walter Flagler, Taylor street, San Francisco, and Bess Sullivan, Daly City; Walter Mittenbrock, Golden Gate avenue, San Francisco, and Selma Seelizer, Daly City.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Wegner and J. Flegel, of Crocker avenue, motored to San Jose on Thursday of last week, where they were the dinner guests of Mrs. M. Barricklo. Mrs. Wegner remained, being the house guest of Mrs. Barricklo for the week end.

A recent whist party and dance given by the drill team of El Carmelo Parlor No. 181, N. D. G. W., was a success, both financially and socially. Misses Marge O'Connor and Audrey Diamond had charge of the afafir, and with their committee worked very hard to make it the success it proved to be.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fricke entertained at a family dinner on Thanksgiving day at their beautiful new home on Crocker Terrace, having as their guests Mrs. Helena O'Connor, Misses Marge and Tessie O'Connor, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Connor of Oakland, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wall, Mrs. B. J. Hartje, Donald Buhler and the Fickie children.

Mrs. Blanche Trotter Adam, of San Diego avenue, passed away suddenly last Saturday in San Francisco. Mrs. Adam was the beloved wife of Joseph Adam, and was a native of Forest, Illinois. Funeral services were held last Monday afternoon in San Francisco under the auspices of Waitress' Union, Local No. 48. Inurnment was at Cypress Lawn Columbarium.

Mr. and Mrs. W. White, of Theta avenue, entertained a number of relatives at their home on Thanksgiving day at dinner, having as their guests Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cinnamond and daughters Thais and Rea, Mr. and Mrs. S. Barr and son Bobby, of Oakland; Helen Colburn, Frances Colburn, Amy Olsen and Mr. and Mrs. O. W. White, of San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. White and Harold White.

Last Friday evening members of La Fiesta Club were entertained by Miss Elsie Fahy and Mrs. Margaret Kennedy at the former's home. After the meeting, conducted by Sylvia Fischer, president, and Marge O'Connor, secretary, refreshments were served to the following: Audrey Diamond, Christine Hume, Tessie O'Connor, Nora Healey, Florence Hopman, Marge O'Connor, Roberta Heagney, Sylvia Fischer, Lorraine Wall, Edna Boyle, Marge Kennedy and Elise Fahy.

Henry Bricker, a pioneer of Daly City, passed away last Monday at his home on Oliver and Hanover street. Mr. Bricker was the beloved husband of Marie Bricker and loving father of Charles, Joseph and Henry Bricker, Mrs. Minnie Barner, Mrs. Mary Oberg and the late Frank P. Bricker. He was a native of Switzerland. Funeral services were held last Wednesday morning with requiem high mass celebrated for the repose of his soul at St. Anthony's church on Army street, San Francisco. Interment was at Holy Cross cemetery.

Mrs. V. Harris and daughter Florence, of Burlingame, were luncheon guests last Thursday at the home of Mrs. A. Harris, of Irvington street.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hughes and family, of 733 Crocker avenue, left this Friday morning for Florida, where Mr. Hughes has accepted a position.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Nylund, Sr., of Sonoma, and Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Nylun, Jr., of Vista Grande avenue, motored to Woodside Glen last Sunday, where they were dinner guests at the home of Mr. Nylund's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Nelson.

Mrs. F. Leski and son Edward, of San Diego avenue, J. Wright and Roy Moore motored to Live Oak, Sutter county, Tuesday of last week, where they enjoyed their Thanksgiving dinner with Mrs. Leski's father, John Moore, returning home last Sunday.

The firemen of Company No. 3, Daly City Volunteer Fire Department, will not hold their regular monthly whist party at their fire house on Westlake avenue during the month of December, owing to the fact that Christmas falls on their regular whist night.

Vista Grande Circle, Order of Foresters, will hold their regular meeting next Wednesday evening, December 11, at Masonic Hall, during which time election of officers will be held. After the meeting a Christmas box party will be held for the members and refreshments will be served.

Mrs. Margaret Fahy and daughter, Miss Elsie Fahy, of Bellevue avenue, will be in charge of the whist game on Friday evening of next week at Our Lady of Pepetual Help church. An exceptionally large gathering is expected as the popular chairladies are working diligently to make this party a huge success.

Robert J. Young, of Evergreen avenue, and Ella R. Keller, of 744 Guerrero street, San Francisco, were quietly married last Saturday afternoon in San Francisco. On Saturday evening a reception was tendered the happy couple at their home on Evergreen avenue, over fifty friends and relatives attending.

A special meeting of the Woodrow Wilson-Vista Grande P. T. A. will be held Tuesday afternoon, December 10, at the Woodrow Wilson kindergarten room for all committees and those interested in the entertainment, country store, dance and food sale to be held Saturday, December 14. Mrs. L. Light will be chairlady.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Company No. 3, Daly City Volunteer Fire Department, will hold a turkey whist party at the fire house on Westlake avenue on Thursday evening, December 12. As it will be the last whist to be held in the fire house this year, a large gathering is expected. Refreshments will be served after the game.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Parmisano, of Irvington street, entertained at a delightful family dinner on Thanksgiving day, having as their guests Mr. and Mrs. P. Benassini, of Colma, Mrs. M. Rancatore and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Reardon and daughter Marie, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Parmisano and family, Miss Rose Parmisano and Louis Parmisano.

Mrs. Philip Ritzan and son Philip, Jr., of Hanover street, and Mrs. Belton and daughter, Miss Amelda, of San Francisco, motored to Los Angeles over last week end, where they attended the football game between Washington College and Univeristy of Southern California, Philip, Jr., being on the football team of Washington State College.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Richardson, of Acton street, entertained a large gathering of relatives at dinner on Thanksgiving day, having as their guests Mrs. M. Dooley and daughter, Miss Ann, Mrs. B. Richardson, Mrs. F. A. Sullivan and children, Dudley and Betty Jewel, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Richardson and daughter Alma, Miss Evelyn Keiffer and Marie and Thomas Richardson.

Don't forget the bazaar to be held this Friday, December 6, by the Daly City Methodist church at Masonic Hall. Hot lunch will be served at 12 o'clock for 35 cents. Coffeee and cake will be served during the afternoon and evening for 15 cents. Free entertainment in the evening at 8 o'clock. Christmas gifts, home cooked foods, cake and candy will be sold during both afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kennedy, of Mission street, entertained a number of relatives and friends at dinner last Sunday at their home. After dinner a delightful evening was spent in dancing. Those present were Mrs. H. Hahn, Mrs. F. Hurst and daughter Catherine, Mr. and Mrs. F. Buehn and daughter Edna, Mrs. Patterson, of Canada, Miss Viola Rehaume, Miss Maxine Singleton, Miss Cecelia Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. B. Pippino, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lorenz, Mrs. S. Lewis, Mrs. A. Kennedy, Miss Anna Kennedy, Miss Florence Kennedy, Miss Josephine Kennedy, and Elmer, Melvin, Norman, Laurence, James and Raymond Kennedy.

Miss Josephine Trollman, of 49 Liebig street, and William Daumiller, of San Francisco, were united in marriage last Saturday by Judge Ellis C. Johnson at the home of the bride. The young couple have the best wishes of their many friends for a prosperous and happy married life.

Mr. and Mrs. Celeste Balladone, of Hanover street, entertained a large gathering of relatives and friends dinner on Thanksgiving day, having as their guests Mr. and Mrs. E. Oliotti and children, Milton and Edith, Mr. and Mrs. R. Fellman and children, Rudolph Jr., Raymond and Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. L. Fellman and daughter Viginia, M. and Mrs. V. Fatta and children, Arthur, Josephine and Walter, of Oakland, Mr. and Mrs. G. Oliotti, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Plitsch and J. Oliotti.

Mrs. H. Hutchings, of Vista Grande avenue, entertained at her home last Tuesday afternoon in honor of her grandson, William Bernzott, who celebrated his first birthday. The table was prettily decorated in pink and blue crepe paper, with candy baskets and favors to match. A huge birthday cake with one candle occupied the center of the table. William received many lovely gifts. The guests were Mrs. W. Bernzott, of San Jose, Mrs. J. Dillon and children, Patricia, Patrick, Viola, Josephine and Grace, Mrs. T. Dillon and daughter Bernice, Mrs. C. Wilgus and children, Veronica and Bobbie, Mrs. H. Hutchings, Jr., Mrs. W. Hutchings, and Leola, Dolly, Elenor and Richard Hutchings.

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Four delegates will represent the ferson Union high school at the seventh annual convention of the California Scholastic Press Association, to be held this Friday and Saturday at Stanford University.

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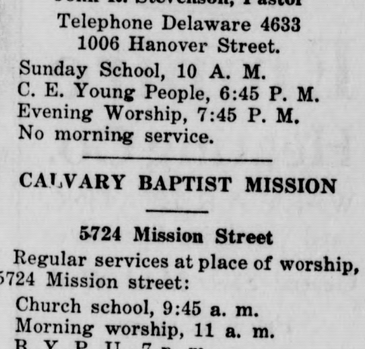

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